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POURING INTO HAYWARDS.

Institute Delegates Are Very Warmly Received by Citizens.

GRAND PROGRAM OF EVENTS.

Ejection of Officers and Other Matters of Great Importance.

STREETS IN GALA ATTIRE.

Week of Festivities Arranged for Pleasure of the Visitors.

(Special to The Tribune.)

HAYWARDS, May 18.—The picturesque town of Haywards is in holiday attire today in honor of the twelfth annual session of the Grand Council of the Young Men's Institute. The public spirited citizens of the enterprising town, realizing the importance of this meeting, have placed their purses at the command of the Committee on arrangements and no expense is being spared to make the visiting delegates have a thoroughly enjoyable time.

The main streets are gaily decorated with bunting and banners, while from the housetops the stars and stripes flutter in the breeze.

That the action of this council will have material bearing on the future conduct of the order in this jurisdiction is positive. Several measures will be presented relative to the existing conditions both politically and religiously, and this alone is of great importance to the order.

Delegates will be present from Utah, Nevada and Arizona, as well as California. Each council is entitled to two representatives and fully one hundred organizations will be represented.

Golden State Council No. 115 of Haywards has entire charge of the meeting and have \$1500 in the bank to be expended solely upon entertainment features. The Committee of Arrangements is now hard at work and as each delegation arrives it is given a rousing reception. The members of the committee are: F. B. Hoosen, chairman; F. S. Terry, secretary; J. E. Crooks, treasurer; Dr. A. J. Powell, John Obermiller, T. Silva, R. Lignori, G. S. Langan, W. Pimental, F. Burbridge, M. Kerwin, A. De Camp, H. Garcia, J. J. McDonnell, A. V. Morgan, C. W. Hoyer, J. E. Geary, Ed. Fasse, E. Green, W. Pann, W. Rad, S. Simon, R. Red, P. H. Hoare, W. Zambinsky, Bert Rose, R. T. Lewis, and George A. Oaks.

An interesting feature of the meeting will be the election of officers. The selection of grand directors will be the chief event in this line. It is generally conceded that F. J. McGlynn will be the next grand president, while the present grand secretary and treasurer are slated for re-election. They are respectively, George A. Stanley and John O'Donnell. The latter gentleman also aspires to the office of grand second vice-president, but one plum is considered by many to be enough.

The report of the grand secretary for the past year will show a material increase in membership while the grand treasurer's report will make known the fact that the funds of the order run well up in five figures.

Many important amendments to the constitution will be submitted and it is expected that some action will be taken toward the establishment of junior councils. Measures bearing on the relations of the Young Ladies' Institute and the Y. M. I. will also come up for consideration. This auxiliary has been a material help in the past and it is the intention to recognize it now.

Today the entire delegations have not arrived, but one by one they are coming in. Most of them will be quartered at the Villa Hotel, though many have already been located in private families. Each delegation will establish permanent headquarters, but over the whole the Arrangement Committee has charge and every convenience is being afforded to members of the order and the press.

The Justice Court has been turned into a press bureau. Elaborate preparations for accommodation have been made on an improved idea and newspaper men will be well taken care of.

The main feature of the town decorations is the arch. This is forty feet high and is decorated with greens and flowers in profusion. Banners and bunting twine about the uprights, while in bold relief near the top stand out the letters "Y. M. I. 1896."

Tonight the entertainment commences with a grand open air concert in the veranda of the Villa Hotel. The Oakland Professional Band of sixteen pieces will render a long programme, during which visiting delegations are supposed to become acquainted with each other.

Tomorrow the real business will commence. Delegates of Golden State Council will assemble in N. S. G. W. Hall and form in line to march to All Saints Church, where high mass will be celebrated by a sermon by Rev. Peter C. York. The choir will be composed solely of the Valero family and none but delegates, bearing their credentials will be admitted. After service is over the members of the Institute will again march abreast to Native Son's Hall where they will be dismissed. The same evening at 8 o'clock a grand ball will be given.

Wednesday at 11 o'clock there will be a grand parade and at 2 o'clock an exhibition drill of company C. League of

the Cross. The parade will be made up as follows:

First division—Mounted platoon of police, Chief of Police W. J. Ramage, Grand Marshal George Tait and aids, Oakland Concert Band, grand officers of the Y. M. I. in carriages, Committee of Arrangements, Company A, League of the Cross Cadets, grand delegates, Board of Trustees of Haywards, Haywards Fire Department, San Leandro Fire Department, Oakland Council No. 6 American Council No. 24, Fraternity Council No. 31, Livermore Council No. 47, San Leandro Council No. 81, Centerville Council No. 125.

Second division—League of the Cross Drum Corps, Company C, League of the Cross Golden Gate Council No. 24, Columbia Council No. 55, Ignatius Council No. 55, Birmingham Council No. 59, Barron Council No. 128, Pioneer Council No. 1, Mission Council No. 3.

Third division—Band, San Jose Council No. 4, Vallejo Council No. 13, Loyola Council No. 82, Phil Sheridan Council No. 72, Potrero Council No. 74, Councils No. 77 and 84.

Fourth division—Band, Drum Corps, float, Native Daughters, Eden Parlor No. 113, N. S. G. W., U. P. E. C. No. 3 of Haywards, U. P. E. C. No. 1 of San Leandro, Golden State Council No. 115, Haywards Road Club.

At 3 P. M. a social dance will be held in N. S. G. W. hall and at 9 o'clock the same place will witness a grand high jinks.

Thursday will see the session of the State Council at 9 in the morning. At 2 in the afternoon another open air concert will be given, while at half-past nine o'clock the same night a big banquet will be tendered to delegates at the Hotel.

Friday the Grand Council will convene again and then through the day the same programme will be followed until 8 o'clock, when Father York will lecture in N. S. G. W. Hall.

On Saturday all the business of the Grand Council has not been transacted it will meet again and definitely conclude its labors.

Late this afternoon the southern delegation arrived, headed by J. Gallagher, Henry Arilla of Fresno and J. Dockwelder of Los Angeles. They were comfortably located in the hotel and then driven about the town. The San Francisco representatives are under the supervision of W. Athern and Dr. Morris.

Father Slattery of Napa is also in attendance.

The present grand officers are: Past Grand President, J. J. McCabe, J. F. Sullivan, J. F. Smith, C. P. Rendon, F. J. Mulrany, F. J. Pierce, Grand President, John Lynch; Grand Vice-President, Henry A. Young; Grand Second Vice-President, Rev. W. D. McKinnon; Grand Secretary, G. A. Stanley; Grand Treasurer, John O'Donnell.

THE DELEGATES.

A List of Those Who Are to Conduct the Council's Business.

The delegates are as follows:
No. 1, San Francisco—Delegates, E. I. Sheehan, S. R. O'Keefe, alternates, E. R. Myrick, M. O'Shaughnessy.
No. 2, San Jose—Delegates, Richard McCarthy, W. P. Powers, alternates, W. T. Aggeler, A. M. McCabe.
No. 3, San Francisco—Delegates, Rev. C. E. O'Nelle, R. Shepston, alternates, M. J. Connetton, J. E. Richards.
No. 4, San Francisco—Delegates, John J. Green, John J. McLaughlin, alternates, John J. Duddy, Wm. M. Gillespie.
No. 5, Stockton—Delegates, John D. Doyle, John H. Smith, alternates, A. C. Ounahan, John Harkins.
No. 6, Oakland—Delegates, D. J. Halahan, J. S. Gilmore, alternates, R. H. Hammond, John J. Kennedy.
No. 7, San Francisco—Delegates, Jas. E. Britt, Wm. L. Harold, alternates, George K. Kelly, Fred F. Dume.
No. 8, Oakland—Delegates, D. McCarthy, Fred Kelly, alternates, George Donnelly, John Connolly.
No. 9, Petaluma—Delegates, E. Counihan, J. F. Burns, alternates, J. T. Reed, J. E. Cavanaugh.
No. 10, San Rafael—Delegates, James F. Manney, Chas. McNeill, alternates, Ed. Conway, Emmet Hayden.
No. 11, Sacramento—Delegates, James Longshore, Jr., C. T. Hughes, alternates, A. J. Wilson, T. M. Devlin.
No. 12, Santa Cruz—Delegates, Matthew Marciel, T. Egan, alternates, J. J. Doran, J. F. Stanton.
No. 13, Vallejo—Delegates, Frank H. Lee, E. V. Williams, alternates, A. J. Conroy, Charles E. Hager.
No. 14, Los Angeles—Delegates, I. B. Dockwelder, James P. Montgomery.
No. 15, Benicia—Delegates, Wm. Boyle, P. Carolan, alternates, T. H. McDermott, L. Wade.
No. 16, Napa—Delegates, Rev. M. D. Slattery, alternate, P. Farrell.
No. 17, San Diego—Delegates, W. J. Sullivan, Ed. M. Doyle, alternates, Arthur Shaw, T. H. Goodbody.
No. 18, Martinez—Delegates, D. Carrigan, J. H. Fitzgerald, alternates, L. Butler, J. Kelly.
No. 19, Sacramento—Delegates, Chas. Farren, H. J. Carragher, alternates, P. A. Fitzgerald, M. Cronin.
No. 20, San Diego—Delegates, J. T. Carey, W. V. Harrington, alternates, V. Gillardin, M. A. Molines.
No. 21, San Francisco—Delegates, John Regan, Jas. H. Hoare, alternates, Chris Cummins, Jeremiah Regan.
No. 22, San Francisco—Delegates, F. J. Dmscott, T. P. O'Brien, alternates, James F. O'Brien, W. H. Growney.
No. 23, San Francisco—Delegates, Frank McGlynn, Hugh J. McDonnell, alternates, J. H. Sheehan, A. B. Smith.
No. 24, Virginia City, Nevada—Delegates, Geo. D. Payne, Wm. A. Burns, alternates, J. Stenson, J. Farrell.
No. 25, Watsonville—Delegates, T. J. Horan, E. Thompson, alternates, J. F. Astor, P. H. Shegry.
No. 26, Menlo Park—Delegates, P. Prineoville, J. Heany, alternates, H. C. Hall, John T. Doyle.
No. 27, Gilroy—Delegates, T. H. Miller, Thos. Maloney, alternates, J. H. Bruen, George Mills.
No. 28, Sonoma—Delegates, Rev. M. J. Whyte, E. Stelgar, alternates, E. J. Ferguson, Joseph Kearney.
No. 29, San Luis Obispo—Delegates,

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SUPREME OPINIONS.

Questions of Law Settled by the Nation's High Tribunal.

THE LOUISIANA CASE UPHELD.

Constitutionality of Georgia's Sunday Law Is Maintained.

M'CALL'S BILL IS TAKEN UP.

The Customs Express Bill Is Favorably Reported Upon.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Supreme Court decided today in what is known as the "Jim Crow" case of Plessey vs. Ferguson, that the statute of Louisiana, requiring railroad companies to supply separate coaches for white and colored persons is constitutional, affirming the decision of the court below.

Justice Brown delivered the opinion. Justice Harlan dissented.

HELD TO BE VALID.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Justice Harlan today delivered an opinion in the Supreme Court in the case of Hennington vs. the State of Georgia involving the constitutionality of the law prohibiting the running of freight cars in Georgia on Sunday. The opinion held the law to be valid.

SINGER MACHINE CASES.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—In the Supreme Court today Justice White handed down an opinion of the court in the cases of the Singer sewing machine trade-mark should show the source of below, the Circuit Court of the Northern District of Illinois, against Singer, was reversed.

The Supreme Court held, however, that others using the name Singer as a trade-mark should show the source of the manufacture.

MCCALL'S BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The House Committee on Rules today decided to bring in a special order for the consideration of the McCall Immigration Bill and amendment today and tomorrow. The McCall bill provides an educational test and is substantially similar to the Lodge bill. The Stone bill, which provides for consular inspection will be offered as a substitute. The rules committee also decided to give the Committee on Labor some time this week for bills reported from that committee.

CUSTOMS EXPRESS ACT.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The House Committee on Ways and Means today decided to report favorably on the bill to permit customs officials to deliver packages not exceeding \$500 in value to express companies and other inland carriers under bond after appraisal on the wharves. Jewelry and precious stones are excepted. It also authorized Evans, (Ky.) to call up in the House, under suspension of the rules, his bill to permit the bottling of spirits under bond in distilleries.

FAVORS TELLER.

He Is Suggested as a Democratic Presidential Candidate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Colo., May 18.—The Rocky Mountain News in a leading editorial today, suggests that the Colorado Democracy organize with the Democracy of neighboring States to present Teller in the Democratic National Convention as a candidate for Presidential nomination, should he bear himself at St. Louis as he is expected to do.

FEDERAL BILLETTS.

Cleveland Sends Several Nominations to the Senate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Kenneth M. Jackson, commissioner for District of Alaska, to reside at Wrangle; Henry C. Fink, receiver of public money, Montrose, Colorado.

Refuses to Investigate.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—By a vote of 6 to 4 the Senate today refused to take up the resolution to investigate the alleged election frauds in Alabama in the Kolb-Oates fraud contest.

MUST COME DOWN.

Grand Jury Declares Against the Court House Chimney.

The grand jury has decided that the brick chimney in the rear of the court house, which has been threatening to fall for some time, must come down. They have so notified the supervisors and in accordance with their desire the shaky structure will be raised to the ground. One contractor has offered to take the pile down and rebuild it for \$700. The offer, however, will not be accepted, because the supervisors intend to replace the chimney with a smoke stack made of steel plates.

HIS BODY RECOVERED.

The Remains of S. H. Von Schmidt Found on the Sands Pit.

OVERCOME WITH THE CRAMPS.

Cast Up Not Far From Where the Accident Occurred.

M'CALL'S BILL IS TAKEN UP.

The Dead Man's Comrade Tells the Story of the Catastrophe.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

The body of S. H. Von Schmidt was found about 8 o'clock this morning on the sand spit running out from the old narrow gauge pier on Alameda Point and was immediately removed to the morgue. The arms were tightly bent beneath the body, which was lying face downwards, and the contorted position of the fingers show that cramps were the cause of the strong swimmer's death, although from a scar over the left eye a possible doubt presents itself that Von Schmidt weakened from loss of blood and sank.

Captain E. A. Von Schmidt had a crew dragging the creek at daylight this morning but the body when found was high and dry on the sand. The dead man, wonderfully powerful swimmer, must have drowned in about four feet of water, for the accident occurred about 4 o'clock last evening when the tide was what is known as high water low, which would make it shallow enough at that point for a man to easily wade ashore.

To a certain extent the accident is a mystery. All of the men knew exactly how to handle a boat and Naujak, the one who was sailing at the time of the capsizing, has spent most of his life on sailing vessels.

The men who got ashore were too excited to clearly tell all of the incidents. William Naujak, one of the party was the first to bring the news to the Von Schmidt dredger where the drowned man acted as superintendent for his cousin. The engineer was alone on the boat at the time.

"The first thing I knew of it," he said, "this morning I saw Naujak standing on the end of the wharf and calling for some one to go ashore for him. I took the small boat and went to get him. When I came within hearing distance I could hear him shouting, 'Oh, it is all my fault, I was sailing at the time and I am the cause of their deaths. He was greatly excited and wanted to go aboard right away and tell the admiral. He was not there though. He came ashore on his yachting cruise, to change his clothes and started for Alameda."

"In a disconnected manner, Naujak told me that the party were sailing up the creek with a wind coming over the stern. The boat with him were 'Tom' R. P. Morrison, a clerk with the Great American Tea Importing Co. of 3229 Mission street, San Francisco, and a Dane who at one time worked about the dredger. They were nearly opposite the Portia street wharf when a small struck the stern, nose went under and she sank. Morrison, who was a poor swimmer, clung to the mast, which stuck about a foot above the water, and the other three started to swim ashore. Naujak alone reached it. He did not wait to send a boat after Morrison, so I went to see about it. When I got to the foot of Broadway, I met Morrison. He had been picked up by the steamer. I then went to Alameda to notify Mr. Von Schmidt."

"Poor Sam," said Captain E. A. Von Schmidt, "he had just returned from San Francisco, where he had been to notify his uncle and aunt of their son's death, and was on his way back to the dredger. 'Poor Sam' it seems a mystery that such a powerful swimmer as he should drown. From the position of his arms and hands, though, I believe cramps overtook him. The small wound above his eye may have caused loss of enough blood to weaken him, but I am not sure that he had that in life. It may have been the work of cramps, and when I lifted the body into the boat I may have handled so as to cause the wound to look as though the blood flowed. When we found the body, it was out of the water, and about 100 feet from where the boat sank. It is this where he went down, and it was probably very near the spot where he was not over four feet deep at 3 o'clock last night. He time of the accident. I have notified his folks, and they will take charge of his remains now."

The body of the other man who attempted to swim ashore with Von Schmidt and Naujak has not yet been recovered, but was a sailor, but deserted his ship and worked on Von Schmidt's dredger up to a short time ago.

A TRIP TO PELEE.

General Morrill and Robert Lincoln Visit a Very Famous Spot.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Major General Wesley Merritt, Commander of the Department of Missouri, and Robert Lincoln have returned from the Pelee Fishing Club Reserve on Pelee island in Lake Erie. General Merritt said: "One thing I found out about Pelee; it is owned by Great Britain and according to the 'Treaty of Commerce' of 1852 it should belong to the United States. The treaty provided that all islands north of the Channel in the lake should belong to Great Britain and South of the channel to this country. The channel course was not properly laid down at that time or has changed since, as it is now north of the island."

"We went up to Put-In-Bay Island near the scene of Commodore Perry's

great naval victory. We visited a neglected, willow-grown spot where three American and three English naval Lieutenants and a number of other dead belonging to both countries are buried.

"There are no stones or other grave marks. The lot is inclosed only with posts and a chain. I had heard the government intended filling and marking in a proper manner these graves, and the purpose of our trip was to see if anything had been done."

DOES NOT APPLY.

Tenure of Office Act Does Not Affect San Francisco in the Least.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. **SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.**—Judge Seawell today gave his reasons for declaring that the tenure of office act does not apply to San Francisco. He says San Francisco is a municipality and not a county and the act as passed by the Legislature applies only to counties.

He reviews several Supreme Court decisions and says although it has been held that the City and County of San Francisco is a city it has never been held that it is a county. He declares if the County Government act controlled San Francisco, there has not been a legal Board of Supervisors since its passage.

ROSS' DECISION.

The Railroad Company Failed to File Its Map of Lands.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. **LOS ANGELES, May 18.**—Judge Ross in the United States Circuit Court today delivered an opinion adverse to the defendant in the test cases which have been brought to establish the rights of settlers on thousands of acres of land in Southern California claimed by the Southern Pacific Railroad. Special Attorney J. H. Call has handled the case for the government. The decision states that the railroad was guilty of gross negligence in not filing its map and five years of such delay has defeated its claims to the land.

HE WAS INVESTIGATING.

John A. Britton Went East to Examine the Gas Processes.

The real purport of the visit of John A. Britton, secretary of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company to the Eastern States, has at last been disclosed.

Many rumors have been circulated of late as to certain processes of gas manufacture and the cheapness with which by them gas could be manufactured and sold, and being desirous of taking advantage of any means by which the cost of the manufacture of gas could be lessened, Mr. Britton visited the Eastern States for the purpose of securing for his company such rights as could be purchased and such as would effect the desired end, and in an absence of five weeks has been thoroughly investigating all the claims made by the Board of Directors of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company has decided that there is nothing that can be purchased in the shape of gas processes that will put the gas into the holders at any less price than the processes controlled and operated by it at its station in Oakland.

The public has had for years the benefit of voluntary reductions made by the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company in its prices, and it is reasonably certain that if a process could be found by which the price of gas could be reduced, that the public would receive the benefit.

FELTON FOR SENATOR.

His Friends Insist on His Running for the Place.

(Special to The Tribune.) **SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.**—C. N. Felton will be a candidate for Senator before the next Legislature.

His friends are satisfied with the outlook as far as he is concerned and an active campaign in his behalf will be shortly commenced.

Buried With Honors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. **NEW YORK, May 18.**—The obsequies of the late Colonel John A. Cockrell were held today in the Scottish Rite Hall. Over the casket was thrown a mortuary banner of the Loyal Legion, on which was a wreath of white roses and immortelles inscribed: "From John's Wife." The services included brief addresses by T. F. Brohan, the Exalted Ruler of the B. P. O. E., and J. Howard Jr., President of the Press Club. The body was conveyed to the Calvary Baptist Church, where religious services were conducted by Rev. Dr. McCarthy.

A Big Loss.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. **TORREON, Mexico, May 18.**—The large flouring mill and grain elevator of the Alencina Manufacturing Company, situated here, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The mill had recently been equipped with new machinery and was the largest in Northern Mexico. The amount of insurance is small. There was a large stock of grain consumed.

DEATH IN THE WIND.

Heavy Loss of Life Inflicted by the Kansas Cyclone.

MANY ARE FATALLY INJURED.

Destruction Wrought in Fully a Half a Dozen Towns.

TELEGRAPH WIRES ARE DOWN.

But Five Houses Were Left Standing in One Large Village.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The news of the loss of life and the destruction of property by yesterday's cyclone in Kansas, is slow in coming in, owing to the crippled condition of the telegraph wires. Fully a half dozen towns were struck by the twister and the known dead number seven. The injured number fully thirty, many of whom it is feared were fatally hurt.

Reserve, a village on the Missouri Pacific, in Brown County, seems to have felt the brunt of the storm. But five houses were left standing there. The killed and injured at Reserve are:

Killed: D. W. Terhune, aged 60; Ralph Sweeney, aged 9; Viola Phillips, 4; Mrs. John Rynder.

Injured: John Rynder, fatally. William Mellison; Mrs. D. W. Terhune and daughter; Sherman Phillips, Jerry Young and wife; George Kennedy; Ed Phillips; Harry Thompson and wife; Frank Jones; Mrs. Sweeney and three children; Rev. Mr. Parker, wife and daughter; William Magrath.

RUIN IN ITS PATH.

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The cyclone crossed the central branch of the Missouri Pacific at Blue River, two miles east of Irving, and followed the railroad and river to Frankfort; thence to Baileyville, Seneca, Sabes, Sabetha, and Reserve, entering Nebraska at Falls City. At Falls City it overturned twenty-six freight cars, demolished the B. & O. freight depot and damaged twenty-six houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hintop are reported to be hurt. At Sabetha, Kansas, twenty-five houses were destroyed and twice as many wrecked.

Bodies identified in the vicinity of Sabetha were: Mrs. Jacob Melner, Hattie Beuhly, Ellen Carey, Sherrard and Conwell children, number not given, Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. Schurz, Mr. Beachy, and an unknown woman.

Injured: W. M. Carey, George Carey, William Machamer, S. P. Hay, Artie Hay, Mrs. Carey, two Carey children. Mrs. Dick Murphy is not expected to live.

Forty Sabetha families are homeless. Six are reported killed near Onida.

The cyclone seems to have spent its force at Preston, Nebraska, where half the buildings are reported wrecked and several people injured, some dangerously.

STATE TRUST FUNDS.

Unable to Locate the Disgrace M. L. Goldsmith Commits Suicide.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

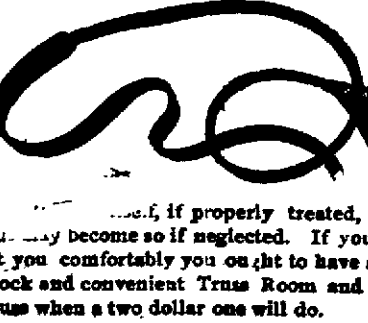
CHICAGO, May 18.—Because he was unable to replace \$300 belonging to a secret society for which he was the collector and which had been lost in dealing in grain on the Board of Trade, M. L. Goldsmith shot himself at his home, 4018 Indiana avenue, and death resulted immediately from the wound. Goldsmith was well known in local government circles in this city and has borne an exemplary reputation. He had been employed in the registry department of the Custom House for the last thirteen years.

SPECIAL OFFER

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LEADING HATTERS AND TAILORS,
Washington St., above 9th.

Returned the Bicycle. The sister of young Johnnie Jones, the San Francisco lad who stole a bicycle last week from E. P. Baggot's Cycles, has returned the wheel, and in consideration of the lad's parents the owner has agreed not to prosecute.



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Corner Ninth and Broadway

A LETTER FROM AFRICA

Robert Mein Writes to the "Tribune" About the Situation.

BUSINESS IS ALL SUSPENDED.

The Jury Unintelligent and Selected From the Country.

SPECULATION ON SENTENCES.

Banishment Predicted in the Case of John Hays Hammond.

The following letter was received by the Tribune today. Captain Mein was a member of the Reform Committee at Johannesburg and is one of those to receive sentence. He is a resident of this city and went to Africa a few years ago as a mining engineer.

The Robinson Gold Mining Company, Limited: Johannesburg, South African Republic, April 11th, 1896.

The Editor Oakland Tribune, Oakland, California, U. S. A.: Dear Sir, Seeing there are some few Americans on the Reform Committee and thinking the enclosed clipping may be of some interest to your many readers who doubtless have friends on the Committee, I send it for their information.

Yesterday summonses were served on a few of the members to appear for trial on the 21st and 22nd inst. and other summonses will be served in due course.

The general impression as to what the outcome will be is that that about half the committee will be let off.

All the others save Phillips, Rhodes, Farrar, and Hammond will be fined lightly. These four will have a heavy fine and be imprisoned and after a month or two imprisonment they will be banished from the country.

A judge from our neighboring State, (Orange Free State) has been selected by the government to preside at the trial.

The jury will be entirely burghers of the country (Boers) and will probably be the most unintelligent lot of men who ever formed a jury in a civilized country.

The outcome is awaited with acute interest here as all business is at a stand still.

I am, yours, etc. ROBERT MEIN.

The enclosure referred to is from, THE STANDARD AND DIGGER'S NEWS, and is as follows:

THE INDICTMENT SERVED.

INCITING TO INVASION.

Sedition and Revolt.

FORCES AND FORTIFICATIONS.

Assumption of Power.

PRETORIA, 16th (Reuter).—The following indictments were served on the Reform Committee members this afternoon. That the above-mentioned persons now out on bail, all and each or more of them, are guilty of High Treason.

The First Count charges them with agreeing with and urging General Steyn to make a hostile invasion of the Republic. The Second Count charges them with giving Jameson information, helping him, and by audacious speeches inciting the people of Johannesburg to help him.

The Third Count charges them with inciting the people to rebellion, by distributing arms and ammunition, and with arming forces and erecting earthworks, and other fortifications. Fourth and last Count charges them with conspiring and causing to be executed, the functions and powers belonging to the authorities of the Republic, with compelling the police to leave, with forming their own corps, with installing Andrew Tubb as head of the police, and entrusting him with the power of giving judgment in police cases.

In consequence of all the above-mentioned acts the independence of this country has been brought into danger, and its safety disturbed and impaired.

LEFT A GOOD ESTATE.

E. A. Nordhausen's Will Is Presented for Probate.

The will of the late E. A. Nordhausen who died several weeks ago has been filed for probate. C. C. Nordhausen, the brother of the deceased, is appointed executor. The estate is valued at \$35,000.

The deceased bequeaths a life interest in his late home, 563 Fourteenth street, as also all his personal effects, jewelry, and bric-a-brac to his mother. He allows her \$75 a month which is not to become a lien upon his estate but must be paid as a personal obligation, by his brother, C. C. Nordhausen. At the death of his mother, the interest in the estate which is bequeathed to her falls to Mrs. Louise Heesman, the sister of the deceased. He also bequeaths to Mrs. Heesman the sum of \$25,000, which is to be paid to her within eighteen months after his death. The rest and residue of the estate is bequeathed to his brother, C. C. Nordhausen, who may sell the property at his own discretion.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Seventh Anniversary to Be Observed in Big Style Tomorrow.

This is the seventh year of the organization of the Epworth League and was

observed throughout the societies yesterday.

The Board of Control, which met in Cleveland, Ohio, April 23rd and which has just closed its work, reports 21,100 chapters or societies, representing a membership of 1,350,000.

The Epworth Herald, the organ of the society, has a circulation of over 100,000, and the reading course a set of four to six volumes, published each year, reached a sale of 6000 sets this year, while the Handbook had a sale of 50,000 copies. The president of the Spiritual Department estimates that 500,000 souls were brought to Christ during the last year by the League.

The League of the Cresset Street M. E. Church of this city observed the anniversary with a praise service beginning at 6:30 P. M. followed by this programme:

General prayer—W. S. McMurtry.

Our motto—"Look up, Lift up." Fannie Long.

"The Phoebe." H. D. Talcott.

"The Spiritual Work." Dr. F. Clazie.

"Our Juniors." Donna Winning.

"Youth, Power and Prophecy." Ethel R. Farnham.

"The Relation of the Holy Ghost to Our Work." Mrs. Dr. P. McCargan.

The musical part of the programme will be under the direction of Mr. Geo. J. W. Stark.

HONOR TO HARMON.

Resolutions of Respect by the Members of the Faculty.

Whereas, Hon. A. K. P. Harmon, Sr., for many years a trustee of Mills College and Seminary, has recently been called away by death, therefore,

Resolved, That we, the members of the faculty, desire to express our appreciation of his kindly interest in, and services for, this institution, and

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved son and daughter in this affliction, and

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to them by our secretary and be spread upon our minutes.

Mills College, May 11, 1896.

MORE HELP IS COMING.

Reinforcements Preparing to Make the Trip to Cuba.

Great Sympathy for the Insurgents Is Being Shown in New York.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 18.—A special to the World from Jacksonville, Fla., says:

There was a report here last night that another Cuban filibustering expedition is organizing, and that before many days a large cargo of arms and ammunition with a goodly number of Cuban "passengers" will be on the way to Cuba. The report was strengthened by another report that the steamer Laurada was down at the bar.

It is certain that Cubans have been gathering in this city for the past few days and have been especially active in certain directions.

The Government authorities have been notified from Washington to seize the Laurada should it come into port, therefore there is little probability that she will come up the river, even if it is she that is reported to be at the mouth of the river.

It is stated also that the steamer Three Friends will soon get off with a load of ammunition and arms.

The Spanish Consul here is very active, and is keeping the wires hot between this city and Washington.

The revenue cutter Boutwell is at the mouth of the St. Johns waiting for any attempt of steamers to load.

TO RAISE MONEY.

A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Woman's Congress of the Cuban-American Fair has been called for today in order to discuss the programme for each day's session and to select speakers.

The Woman's Congress is to be one of the most notable features of the big fair for Cuba, which is to be held in Madison Square Garden from May 25th until May 31st.

The avowed purpose of the fair is to raise funds for the "securing of the rights of a people fighting for justice, self government and liberty," and the Woman's Congress would be devoted to the celebration and commemoration of patriotic movements in the Western Hemisphere.

The Assembly Hall at the garden has been set aside for the purpose and will be decorated with the flags of the New World's free countries.

The Congress will be given over on Monday, the opening night, to the Daughters of the American Revolution, who will give a programme replete with the history of the American colonies' struggle for liberty and jubilation over the history.

Mrs. Donald McLean, Regent of the Daughters, will preside, and will deliver an address in answer to an oration by a representative of the Cuban Committee.

During the remainder of the evening some recognition of every republic in North and South America will be given by women appointed to resist them.

Two nights during the fair will be devoted to the Cuban women of New York, and the programme will be given in Spanish. It is expected that Mrs. Adlai Stevenson, wife of the Vice President, and also an officer of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will open the Congress on Monday night.

A Lutheran League.

A Lutheran League was organized last week by the male members of the First English Lutheran Church. William Moller, the organizer of the movement, insisted that all the officers of the League be filled by new members of the church. The League will give a reception the last Wednesday in this month. The following permanent officers were elected: A. F. Fox, president; Gustav Rochamel, vice-president; H. Reif, secretary; S. A. Willard, treasurer.

The Hillgrove Tract.

The Hillgrove tract at Berkeley was sold at auction Saturday by W. J. Dingle under the auspices of Easton, Dingle & Co. of San Francisco. George Luddington was the auctioneer.

The sale was a lively one and among the purchasers were Miss Ella Piyal, Mrs. M. A. Avery, and M. M. Martin, superintendent of the Telegraph avenue car line.

A Burglar's Call.

Burglars entered the residence of Samuel Hubbard at 119 Thirteenth street during the early part of Saturday evening and stole a gold watch and some jewelry. None of the family were home at the time.

SUPERVISORIAL ACTION.

The Board of Trade Granted a Place for a County Exhibit.

The Usual Routine Collect on of Business Is Disposed Of.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning and transacted the usual routine business.

A committee from the Board of Trade presented a petition to the Supervisors requesting to be allowed to occupy the room in the Hall of Records directly beneath the Supervisors' room for the purpose of making a permanent exhibit of the products and manufactures of theameda County. The petition was signed by over 300 prominent business men. The request was granted.

The Board adopted a resolution authorizing and directing Hiram Bailey, as Road Commissioner of the Mission Road District, to commence suit against the Pacific County to remove the encroachment on the public road made by that company on the Mission San Jose road to Niles. The encroachment is the fencing in of a portion of the road.

The District Attorney's statement that the taxes claimed by the Oregon Improvement Co. to be erroneously and illegally paid on purported solvent credits of the corporation should be repaid by the Board if the claim was correct, was placed on file. The claim of the corporation was placed on file.

The District Attorney reported that the Board should pay the claim of John C. Schmidt for \$13,125 for taxes illegally collected. The District Attorney's statement was placed on file.

The bills were referred to the Judiciary Committee to report on at the next regular meeting.

The Board adopted a resolution appointing W. B. Lullford a member of the County Board of Education.

Supervisor Johnston was appointed a committee to see about the placing of a marble slab from Alameda County in the Monterey Memorial Tablets.

The report of the surgeon of the receiving Hospital, showing 29 patients admitted, 3 sent to County Infirmary and 26 discharged, was placed on file.

The report of the Oakland Free Clinic, showing 139 patients treated in April and 138 in March, was placed on file.

The statement of the fees of the following Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public were placed on file: W. H. Taylor, H. T. Morris, E. D. McDonald.

The petition of the residents of the Temescal Road District, asking that Third avenue, from Hudson street to University avenue, be declared a county road, was referred to the County Surveyor to investigate.

A petition was received from residents of Niles asking that E. D. Baldwin be appointed Poundkeeper. The petition was accepted, and Baldwin will be appointed as soon as his bonds are approved.

A petition was received, asking that East Berkeley avenue and Adelphi street be vacated from the southern boundary of the town of Berkeley to the northern boundary of Oakland. Placed on file.

Petitions for credits were received from Richard Ireland, sentenced for 6 months; Mollie Traynor, sentenced for 60 days; James Murray, sentenced for 3 months; Walter Reeves, sentenced for 6 months. Granted.

Jaffer White made a requisition for support. He was referred to the Building Committee.

County Assessor H. P. Dalton's requisition asking for San Francisco Director for 1896 for county offices, was rejected.

An application for relief from Joseph Morrison was placed on file.

Mrs. Albert, 23 Center street, made application for relief. Referred to Supervisor Polouze.

D. C. Woolley of Lorin made an application for a free license to peddle, which was granted.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably on the following applications for liquor licenses: N. A. Gardner, San Pablo and Thirteenth street; Wm. B. Bern, of Irvington; Wm. Brusser, Laundry Team.

Applications for liquor licenses were made by Christian Hansen, Midway Station, A. Ramhaud, Sunol; Chas. Tepper, Hopkins street, near Diamond avenue; Antonio Pores, Mission San Jose.

The Dumbarton Land and Improvement Co. made an application for the holding of an election in Trust for Reclamation District 32 and to authorize the advertising of said election in county page 2. The matter was referred to the District Attorney, who will report on the matter at the afternoon session.

COUNCIL MATTERS.

Ordinances to Be Considered at the Session This Evening.

At the Council meeting this evening several matters of importance will be disposed of.

The "Cutting" license will be final y rejected, the nickel-in-the-slot will come up on a recommendation from the Ordinance Committee that it be tabled, and Heltmann may object to this, as new laws have been learned by him which make it impossible that the ordinance should become a law.

The ordinance making it a misdemeanor to maintain nickel-in-the-slot machines for gambling purposes has been vetoed by the Mayor and will come up for passage over the veto. The vote will finally pass it stood seven to four; the ordinance will probably never become a law.

The only protest set for hearing is the one against laying the sewer on Second street from Alice to Jackson.

BLAMES THE UNION.

Chalnor Says the Plumbers Were on His Trail.

Richard Chalnor, the Lorin plumber, arrested by the sanitary inspector for not filing a bond in compliance with the ordinance lays the cause of his arrest to the Plumbers' Union and the sanitary inspector corroborates the statement.

Smith broke a rule of the union by putting in work where the owner had bought the material from a wholesaler house, for the plumbers believe that they should furnish their own material. The efforts to learn who it was that sold the goods but being unsuccessful reported at the health office that an outside plumber was working within the city without first having filed his bond.

Judge Wood withheld his decision this morning for a week. If before that time bonds are filed Chalnor will probably be dismissed.

A Highwayman's Work.

Charles Brown, a capitalist living on the San Leandro road, was held up near the Three-Mile House last night by a masked horseman with two companions and robbed of \$65 in gold and a check drawn by the Oakland Consolidated Railway Company for \$100.

A Still Alarm.

A still alarm was turned in just before midnight Saturday for a fire in the ash pile in the rear of the Waverly Cylery on Franklin street.

BALLOT FOR BISHOPS.

The Methodists Conference at Cleveland Is at a Deadlock.

MANY BALLOTS ARE TAKEN.

Intimations of a Break to Candidates Cranston and Hamilton.

M'CABE AND BUTTZ LOSING.

Several Delegates From Other Conferences Warmly Greeted.

By Associated Press to the Tribune. CLEVELAND, O., May 18.—Bishop Newman presided at the M. E. Conference this morning.

Dr. J. C. Morris and A. E. Perkins of Texas, fraternal delegates of the M. E. Church South, were introduced. Dr. Morris was shown scant courtesy on the occasion of his previous appearance before the conference, but both gentlemen were received this morning with applause.

In the ninth ballot for the Bishops, the whole number of votes was 500, making 334 necessary to a choice. The vote for the leaders was: McCabe, 238; Cranston, 230; Buttz, 218; Hamilton, 130; Neely, 57; Bowen, 17. No choice.

The result of the ninth ballot proved to be a great surprise. The loss for McCabe was 31, Cranston 27, Buttz 62, Brown 20. The gain for Hamilton was 60, for Neely 40. This bore out the rumor of a break to Neely and Hamilton, and the tenth ballot was awaited with intense interest.

Dr. Teeter of Iowa moved to defer all further balloting for Bishops until the next General Conference in 1900. No second was made, and Bishop Newman presented Rev. W. L. Watkinson, a fraternal delegate from the British Wesleyan Conference, who said a few words of farewell.

Bishop Newman's response was a genial, far-reaching applause.

Tenth ballot—Cranston, 233; McCabe, 233; Buttz, 133; Hamilton, 130; Neely, 51; Bowen, 12. Necessary to a choice, 341.

Before the tenth and last ballot of this morning was announced, rumors of the Cranston-Hamilton combination began to gain circulation. This union of the east and west seemed to be a certainty when the result was announced showing the gain for Hamilton, 21; Cranston, 23; Neely, 24; and loss to McCabe, 15; Bowen, 5; Buttz, 25. The combined west vote was going to Cranston, while the east divided between Neely and Hamilton. Should the next ballot show the Cranston-Hamilton combination to be non-effective a trade of Cranston-Neely combination will probably be made, as the friends of Cranston are determined he shall win if possible.

On the eleventh ballot as announced at the opening of the afternoon session, 508 votes were cast, making 333 necessary to a choice. Cranston received 254; Hamilton, 191; McCabe, 214; Buttz, 171; Neely, 131; Bowen, 7.

A NOVEL CASE.

A Point Is Raised as to the Ownership of Road Property.

The District Attorney's office has had a novel case under its consideration for several days in Hayward, where it was conducted before Justice Filmore by Deputy District Attorney Carl Wood. It involved the right of a person to occupy main roadway for agricultural purposes, and, at the same time, that of a miller to appropriate to his use what he finds growing there.

The case was against a man named Frederiques, who has cut an amount of grass which grew on the highway in front of the property of a man named Fautes. It was alleged that Frederiques, who was in the employment of A. Mendoza, had appropriated property belonging to Fautes, and in support of this claim a deed of Fautes was produced for the purpose of showing that his property extends to the middle of the highway. The jury labored earnestly in the matter, consumed six hours, and finally decided that they could not agree and were discharged.

WARRING WOMEN.

A Hayward Jury Disagrees on the Grade of Punishment.

The case of Ben Calhoun, charged with beating his brother's wife, Bertha, which has been closed in Hayward, is another episode in the long drawn out squabble which has attended the married life of the latter. A short time ago, Mrs. Calhoun, it is alleged, threw a clod of earth at Calhoun, and the missile struck a lady named Mrs. H. Calhoun's sister. This made Calhoun angry and caused him to assault Mrs. Calhoun. The case was tried and referred to a jury of eight men. That august body thought it had the right to fix the punishment as well as to determine the guilt or innocence of the accused. The members varied in their opinion as to the enormity of Calhoun's offense. Some members wanted him jailed for eight months, others for a year. They could not agree, however, and were discharged.

Back From San Jose.

The Sunday School orchestra returned this morning from San Jose where they went as the guests of the Christian Endeavor. While there the orchestra gave three concerts, Saturday night it played in the pavilion. Sunday afternoon in St. James' Square and Sunday night it gave a sacred concert at the pavilion.

Tenants in Common.

The entire family troubles between the house, for they both live in one, of the C. O'Neils and J. Kirklands, were aired in the Police Court this morning, but as both sides told exactly opposite stories as to the condition of a certain door on the premises Judge Wood decided to take the heads of each family and with them make a personal inspection.



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POURING INTO HAYWARDS VICTIM OF THE WAVES.

(Continued from page 1.)

P. J. McHenry, L. F. Dorsey; alternates, Thomas Rowan, T. Chiesa.

No. 47, Livermore—Delegates, M. G. Callaghan, John Rowley; alternates, James Gallagher, W. J. Doolan.

No. 55, San Francisco—Delegates, Wm. J. Abern, D. F. Shea; alternates, Dr. T. H. Morris, W. R. Nicholson.

No. 59, San Francisco—Delegates, Rev. P. C. York, Chas. McCarthy; alternates, John Hyland, A. P. Mulligan.

No. 61, Castroville—Delegates, John Jordan, John Whalen; alternates, M. H. Hefner, B. B. Borden.

No. 67, Eureka—Delegates, Alchie Concha, L. E. Mahan; alternates, Alex. Aggeler, M. McMillan.

No. 64, Fresno—Delegates, Henry Ayala, James Gallagher; alternates, Jas. L. Doyle, L. E. Collins.

No. 72, San Francisco—Delegates, J. H. Pinkham, Thomas J. Doyle; alternates, Wm. M. Griffin, Thomas Wadsworth.

No. 74, San Francisco—Delegates, John Reley, J. I. McDonald; alternates, Jos. Kingston, Jos. A. Strain.

No. 80, Chuson City—Delegates, J. Dignam, Rev. R. C. Clyne; alternates, Edw. J. Walsh, Dan O'Brien.

No. 86, Port Cost—Delegates, James Abern, John E. Tobin; alternates, Michael Horgan, Michael Lucey.

No. 87, Merced—Delegates, M. J. McGlynn, D. F. Griffin; alternates, J. D. Estlin, E. J. Huzzie.

No. 88, Salinas—Delegates, J. H. Riley, J. J. O'Brien; alternates, J. P. Dougherty, Thomas Conley.

No. 91, San Leandro—Delegates, John C. Geary, Wm. L. Gill.

No. 94, Ferndale—Delegates, E. A. Alder, John Easty; alternates, Wm. F. Lewis, Wm. Honahan.

No. 115, Hayward—Delegates, F. B. Hosoon, F. S. Terry; alternates, J. B. Rose, Joseph Dias.

No. 125, Centerville—Delegates, J. F. Coffaney, M. J. Souza; alternates, C. F. Augusto, F. A. Caldera.

No. 129, San Francisco—Delegates, Rev. P. E. Mulligan, R. J. Dowdall; alternates, N. J. Huey, John Riley.

No. 153, Madera—Delegates, J. M. Griffin, Robert Butler.

No. 201, Monterey—Delegates, Rev. R. M. Meares, W. B. Hayward; alternates, J. T. Drayne, Dr. J. P. Hintz.

No. 207, San Mateo—Delegates, W. H. Dwyer, John R. Walker; alternates, John McGrath, John Daly.

No. 208, Santa Rosa—Delegates, John Brophy, John Plover; alternates, William Noonan, M. McMillan.

No. 310, Ocean View—Delegates, J. H. Maloney, F. A. Sullivan; alternates, P. J. Kennedy, Dr. H. Vaudre.

CHINA'S PREMIER.

He Arrives in Splendid Style at the Russian Capital.

By Associated Press to the Tribune. MOSCOW, May 18.—Li Hung Chang and suite arrived today from St. Petersburg.

The Chinese envoy was received in a most brilliant manner and afterwards presided at a reception given in the Chinese Embassy which was profusely decorated with flags.

Field Marshal Yamagata, the Japanese envoy, the Duke of Najara, representative of Spain, and the Crown Prince of Roumania, have also arrived.

Editors in Session.

CHICO, May 18.—A large number of the members of the Sacramento Valley Press League arrived in this city last night and this morning. Extensive preparations have been made to receive them.

The editors visited the Normal School this morning after which a ride was taken through the lands of General Bidwell and over the principal drives surrounding the city. The league will convene at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon in the K. of P. Hall.

Exiled for Years.

Frank Sullivan and Walter Smith will begin their five years' banishment at Cripple Creek and will leave for there this evening for Judge Wood to-day granted their wish to leave the State for five years rather than serve a term for battery in the city prison.

The men were arrested for an assault on ex-School Director J. B. Carson by whom they were employed righting by whom they were employed up to the time of their arrest. It was up to the time of their arrest in the Union State and their friends in the Union State of which they are members advanced money enough to buy their tickets.

COURT CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, May 19, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Fric, Jas. Stanley vs. Pacific Bank et al. Courtney vs. Sals.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Stenbach vs. Hann.

Department 3, Judge Milworth—Spring Valley Water Co. vs. J. L. Beard. Meyers vs. His Creditors.

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Ike Anderson

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WANTED—Good Jersey heifer calves 12 months old. Address 401 Eighth st., Oakland.

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SALE—Four good Brussels carpets at \$20 Brush st.

POCKERS—All prices and grades, chairs, and fancy goods for sale, come and see us. H. Scovel, Eleventh st.

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beer bottles. A mourn harmoniches long and two inches wide. A rule of an umbrella with a p stick in it about four inches l

mass door key five inches long,
two pieces of coal,
Roman's silk handkerchief,
three stones about an inch thick
cabbage, grass, lettuce, cu-
cumber, quantity of sand.

It has been proposed to present a collection of objects as an index of the gastronomic prowess of man in life, in much the same way as warriors sometimes have exhibited their conquests with spoils.

OSTRICH'S DIGESTIVE POWERS.

extraordinary as this statement is to those unacquainted with the life of this bird, the Rev. J. G. Woodcock, who has spent some years observing and describing nature's creatures, says: "In captivity the

will swallow almost anything in its way. And the bill of which he makes out includes bricks, old shoes, scraps of wood and tenpenny nails, in addition to stones.

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one, an entire brood of duckling.
California ostrich farmer, H.
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no weeks later the ostrich broke and had to be killed. Out of curiosity the owner cut open the stomach and he says he found that the

SPEED OF AN OSTRICH.
For example his legs are almost

as those of a horse, and his skin from the rear resembles that of a mouse. For short distances he can fly by his wings, run at the rate of 10 miles an hour and his legs have a strength estimated at 1,000 pounds.

perhaps the most extraordinary thing about this creature is its eggs. Each egg is equivalent to about two dozen ordinary hen's eggs and weighs on

these eggs are powerful enough to eat four of them in the afternoon.

ways, as Dr. Bauer, of the Peabody Museum at Yale, discovered a fossil since was filling into an ostrich egg that had been consigned to the college waste basket. Only it burst and threw the fossil into the air several feet with great violence.

none of the explosion blew students to the laboratory, a hauer was found unconscious and seriously injured.

EXPLOSIVE OSTRICH EGGS.

Similar explosions occurred after in the Carnegie Laboratory

city-sixth street, this city, but was hurt, and Dr. George Wint at institution, expressed his o that that time as to the danger of with these eggs by saying "I nence or money do I care to tr

ostrich eggs. On one occasion that if I had not had a toad an egg with which I was experimenting I should have lost my life. These facts are explained when the structure of the egg is understood. The hardness of the shell of the egg is understood. In A

they serve some of the purposes which china is put in this country and ladles are made of them. The whole shell is used as a water vessel. Entire villages procure their salt from them.

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OSTRICHES ARE HATCHING

Eggs are laid some in the middle of the nest and some on the edges. The hatching is done by the heat of the sun, but at night the parent birds incubate those eggs that are actually in the center of the nest. Those on the margin receive no attention at any time. When

er, they young birds are hatch neglected eggs serve as food i until they are able to go in sear rishment for themselves.

rary to most of the bird tribe, t a is polygamous and usually h seven mates.

the least curious thing about his passion he has for associating with herds of other animals, as frequently found mixed up with us, zebras, giraffes or antelope. The flesh of the ostrich is toothsome and the young bird tastes it.

fresh. The Australians value it very highly. It is melted and used as soup with millet flour.

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y vouchers, within four months after
first publication of this notice, to the
l executrix, at her residence, No. 210
rteenth street, Oakland, California.
CONSTANCE McKEAND,
of the last will and testament

of Mary Theresa McKeand, deceased.
dated at Oakland, April 18, 1922.

lameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will; when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, May 18th, 1902.

By E. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
W. F. WILLIAMSON, Attorney.

FREDERIKA DREYER,
administratrix of the estate of Phillip
Dreyer deceased.

Dated Oakland, May 12, 1896.
 OYD & FIFIELD, Att'y's for Adm'r.

Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

ated, May 6th, 1899.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

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California Jordan shelled almonds 1 lb 30c
2 lbs 50c regularly 40c
For salted or blanched almonds.

Royal sardines 3 tins 50c
with truffle and pickle, an appetizing relish regularly 25c.

White wine gal 45c
regularly 75c choice relishing taste it at the counter

Evaporated apples extra fancy, 5 lbs for 25c

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Institute Delegates Are Very Warmly Received by Citizens.

GRAND PROGRAM OF EVENTS.

Ejection of Officers and Other Matters of Great Importance.

STREETS IN GALA ATTIRE.

Week of Festivities Arranged for Pleasure of the Visitors.

(Special to The Tribune.)

HAYWARDS, May 18.—The picturesque town of Haywards is in holiday attire today in honor of the twelfth annual session of the Grand Council of the Young Men's Institute. The public spirited citizens of the enterprising town, realizing the importance of this meeting, have placed their purses at the command of the Committee on arrangements and no expense is being spared to make the visiting delegates have a thoroughly enjoyable time.

The main streets are gaily decorated with bunting and banners, while from the housetops the stars and stripes flutter in the breeze.

That the action of this council will have material bearing on the future conduct of the order in this jurisdiction is positive. Several measures will be presented relative to the existing conditions, both politically and religiously, and this alone is of great importance to the order.

Delegates will be present from Utah, Nevada and Arizona, as well as California. Each council is entitled to two representatives and fully one hundred organizations will be represented.

Golden Star Council No. 115 of Haywards has entire charge of the meeting and have \$1500 in the bank to be expended solely upon entertainment features. The Committee of Arrangements is now hard at work and as each delegation arrives it is given a rousing reception. The members of the committee are: F. B. Hooson, chairman; F. S. Terry, secretary; J. E. Crooks, treasurer; Dr. A. J. Powell, John Obermiller, T. Silva, R. Lignori, G. S. Langan, W. Pimental, F. Burbridge, M. Kewlin, A. De Camp, H. Garcia, J. J. McDonnell, A. V. Morgan, C. W. Heyer, J. E. Geary, Ed. Kass, E. Green, W. Pann, W. J. Ramare, S. Simon, T. Reid, P. H. Hoare, W. Zamborsky, Bert Rose, R. T. Lewis, and George A. Oakes.

An interesting feature of the meeting will be the election of officers. The selection of grand directors will be the chief event in this line. It is generally conceded that F. J. McGlynn will be the next grand president, while the present grand secretary and treasurer are slated for re-election. They are respectively, George A. Stanley and John O'Donnell. The latter gentleman also aspires to the office of grand second vice-president, but one plum is considered by many to be enough.

The report of the grand secretary for the past year will show a material increase in membership while the grand treasurer's report will make known the fact that the funds of the order run well up in five figures.

Many important amendments to the constitution will be submitted and it is expected that some action will be taken toward the establishment of junior councils. Measures bearing on the relations of the Young Ladies' Institute and the Y. M. I. will also come up for consideration. This auxiliary has been a material help in the past and it is the intention to recognize it now.

Today the entire delegations have not arrived, but one by one they are coming in. Most of them will be quartered at the Villa Hotel, though many have already been located in private families. Each delegation will establish permanent headquarters, but over the whole the Arrangement Committee has charge and every convenience is being afforded to members of the order and the press.

The Justice Court has been turned into a press bureau. Elaborate preparations for accommodation have been made on an improved idea and newspaper men will be well taken care of.

The main feature of the town decorations is the arch. This is forty feet high and is decorated with greens and flowers in profusion. Banners and bunting twine about the uprights, while in bold relief near the top stand out the letters "Y. M. I. 1896."

Tonight the entertainment commences with a grand open air concert in the veranda of the Villa Hotel. The Oakland Professional Band of sixteen pieces will render a long programme, during which visiting delegations are supposed to become acquainted with each other.

Tomorrow the real business will commence. Delegates of Golden State Council will assemble in N. S. G. W. Hall and form in line to march to All Saints Church, where high mass will be celebrated to be followed by a sermon by Rev. Peter C. Yorke. The choir will be composed solely of the Valera family and none but delegates, bearing their credentials will be admitted. After service is over the members of the Institute will again march abreast to Native Son's Hall where they will be dismissed. The same evening at 8 o'clock a grand ball will be given.

Wednesday at 11 o'clock there will be a grand parade and at 2 o'clock an exhibition drill of company C. League of

the Cross. The parade will be made up as follows:

First division—Mounted platoon of police, Chief of Police W. J. Ramare, Grand Marshal George Tait and aids, Oakland Concert Band, grand officers of the Y. M. I. in carriages, Committee of Arrangements, Company A, League of the Cross Cadets; grand delegates, Board of Trustees of Haywards, Haywards Fire Department, San Leandro Fire Department, Oakland Council No. 6, American Council No. 24, Fraternity Council No. 31, Livermore Council No. 17, San Leandro Council No. 91, Centerville Council No. 125.

Second division—League of the Cross Drum Corps, Company C, League of the Cross Golden Gate Council No. 24, Columbia Council No. 55, Ignatius Council No. 55, Birmingham Council No. 59, Barrean Council No. 126, Pioneer Council No. 1, Mission Council No. 3.

Third division—Band, San Jose Council No. 1, Vallejo Council No. 13, Loyola Council No. 22, Phil Sheridan Council No. 72, Potrero Council No. 74, Councils No. 77 and 81.

Fourth division—Band, Drum Corps, float, Native Daughters, Eden Parlor No. 113, N. S. G. W., U. P. E. C. No. 3 of Haywards, U. P. E. C. No. 1 of San Leandro, Golden State Council No. 115, Haywards Road Club.

At 3 P. M. a social dance will be held in N. S. G. W. hall and at 9 o'clock the same place will witness a grand high jinks.

Thursday will see the session of the State Council at 9 in the morning. At 2 in the afternoon another open air concert will be given, while at half-past nine o'clock the same night a big banquet will be tendered to delegates at the Hotel.

Friday the Grand Council will convene again and then through the day the same programme will be followed until 8 o'clock, when Father Yorke will lecture in N. S. G. W. Hall.

If on Saturday all the business of the Grand Council has not been transacted it will meet again and definitely conclude its labors.

Late this afternoon the southern delegation arrived, headed by J. Gallagher, Henry Arilla of Fresno and J. Dockweiler of Los Angeles. They are comfortably located in the hotel and then driven about the town.

The San Francisco representatives are under the supervision of W. Athern and Dr. Morris.

Father Slattery of Napa is also in attendance.

The present grand officers are: Past Grand President, J. J. McAdams, J. E. Sullivan, J. F. Smith, C. P. Rendon, F. J. Murasky, F. J. Pierce; Grand President, John Lynch; Grand Vice-President, Henry A. Young; Grand Second Vice-President, Rev. W. D. McKinnon; Grand Secretary, G. A. Stanley; Grand Treasurer, John O'Donnell.

THE DELEGATES.

A List of Those Who Are to Conduct the Council's Business.

The delegates are as follows:

No. 1, San Francisco—Delegates, E. I. Sheehan, H. R. O'Keefe; alternates, E. R. Myrick, M. O'Shaughnessy.

No. 2, San Jose—Delegates, Richard McCarthy, W. P. Powers; alternates, W. T. Aggeler, A. M. McCabe.

No. 3, San Francisco—Delegates, Rev. C. E. O'Nelle, R. Shepston; alternates, M. J. Connerion, J. E. Richards.

No. 4, San Francisco—Delegates, John J. Green, John J. McLaughlin; alternates, John J. Duddy, Wm. M. Gillespie.

No. 5, Stockton—Delegates, John T. Doyle, John H. Smith; alternates, A. C. Oullahan, John Hardin.

No. 6, Oakland—Delegates, D. J. Halahan, J. S. Gilmore; alternates, R. H. Hammond, John J. Kennedy.

No. 7, San Francisco—Delegates, Jas. L. Britt, Wm. L. Harold; alternates, George M. Kelly, Fred F. Dume.

No. 8, Oakland—Delegates, D. McCarthy, Fred Kelly; alternates, George Donnelly, John Connolly.

No. 9, Petaluma—Delegates, E. Cunningham, J. F. Burns; alternates, J. T. Reed, J. E. Cavanaugh.

No. 10, San Rafael—Delegates, James J. Manney, Chas. McNeill; alternates, Ed. Conway, Emmet Hayden.

No. 11, Sacramento—Delegates, James Longshore, Jr., C. T. Hughes; alternates, A. J. Wilson, T. M. Devlin.

No. 12, Santa Cruz—Delegates, Matthew Marciel, T. J. Egan; alternates, J. J. Doran, J. F. Stanton.

No. 13, Vallejo—Delegates, Frank H. Lee, E. V. Williams; alternates, A. J. Conroy, Charles E. Hager.

No. 14, Los Angeles—Delegates, I. B. Dockweiler, James P. Montgomery.

No. 16, Benicia—Delegates, Wm. Boyle, P. Carolan; alternates, T. H. McDermott, L. Wade.

No. 21, Napa—Delegates, Rev. M. D. Shetty, alternate, P. Farrell.

No. 25, San Diego—Delegates, W. J. Sullivan, Ed. M. Doyle; alternates, Arthur Shaw, T. H. Goodbody.

No. 25, Martinez—Delegates, D. Carrigan, J. H. Fitzgerald; alternates, L. Butler, J. Kelly.

No. 27, Sacramento—Delegates, Chas. Farron, H. J. Carragher; alternates, P. A. Fitzgerald, M. Cronin.

No. 31, East Oakland—Delegates, J. T. Carey, W. V. Harrington; alternates, V. Gillardin, M. A. McInnes.

No. 32, San Francisco—Delegates, John Regan, Jas. H. Hoare; alternates, Chris Cummings, Jeremiah Regan.

No. 34, San Francisco—Delegates, F. J. Driscoll, T. P. O'Brien; alternates, James F. O'Brien, W. H. Grownley.

No. 35, San Francisco—Delegates, Frank McGlynn, Hugh J. McGinnis; alternates, J. H. Sheehan, A. B. Smith.

No. 41, Virginia City, Nevada—Delegates, Geo. D. Payne, Wm. A. Burne; alternates, J. Stenson, J. Farrell.

No. 12, Watsonville—Delegates, T. J. Morgan, E. Thompson; alternates, J. F. Aston, P. H. Sheehy.

No. 43, Menlo Park—Delegates P. Princevalle, J. Heany; alternates, H. C. Hall, John T. Doyle.

No. 44, San Francisco—Delegates, T. H. Thos Maloney; alternates, J. H. Bruen, George Millas.

No. 45, Sonoma—Delegates, Rev. M. J. Whyte, E. Steigar; alternates, E. J. Ferguson, Joseph Kearney.

No. 46, San Luis Obispo—Delegates,

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SUPREME OPINIONS.

Questions of Law Settled by the Nation's High Tribunal.

THE LOUISIANA CASE UPHELD.

Constitutionality of Georgia's Sunday Law Is Maintained.

M'CALL'S BILL IS TAKEN UP.

The Customs Express Bill Is Favorably Reported Upon.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Supreme Court decided today in what is known as the "Jim Crow" case of Plessy vs. Ferguson, that the statute of Louisiana, requiring railroad companies to supply separate coaches for white and colored persons is constitutional, affirming the decision of the court below.

Justice Brown delivered the opinion. Justice Harlan dissented.

HELD TO BE VALID.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Justice Harlan today delivered an opinion in the Supreme Court in the case of Hennington vs. the State of Georgia involving the constitutionality of the law prohibiting the running of freight cars in Georgia on Sunday. The opinion held the law to be valid.

SINGER MACHINE CASES.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—In the Supreme Court today Justice White handed down an opinion of the court in the cases of the Singer sewing machine trade-mark should show the source of below, the Circuit Court of the Northern District of Illinois, against Singer, was reversed.

The Supreme Court held, however, that others using the name Singer as a trade-mark should show the source of the manufacture.

MCCALL'S BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The House Committee on Rules today decided to bring in a special order for the consideration of the McCall Immigration Bill and amendment today and tomorrow. The McCall bill provides an educational test and is substantially similar to the Lodge bill. The Stone bill, which provides for consular inspection will be offered as a substitute. The rules committee also decided to give the Committee on Labor some time this week for bills reported from that committee.

CUSTOMS EXPRESS ACT.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The House Committee on Ways and Means today decided to report favorably on the bill to permit customs officials to deliver packages not exceeding \$500 in value to express companies and other inland carriers under bond after appraisal on the wharves. Jewelry and precious stones are excepted. It also authorized Evans, (Ky.) to call up in the House, under suspension of the rules, his bill to permit the bottling of spirits under bond in distilleries.

FAVORS TELLER.

He Is Suggested as a Democratic Presidential Candidate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Colo., May 18.—The Rocky Mountain News in a leading editorial today, suggests that the Colorado Democracy organize with the Democracy of neighboring States to present Teller in the Democratic National Convention as a candidate for Presidential nomination, should he bear himself at St. Louis as he is expected to do.

FEDERAL BILLETS.

Cleveland Sends Several Nominations to the Senate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Kenneth M. Jackson, commissioner for District of Alaska, to reside at Wrangle; Henry C. Fink, receiver of public money, Montrose, Colorado.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—By a vote of 6 to 4 the Senate today refused to take up the resolution to investigate the alleged election frauds in Alabama in the Kolb-Oates election contest.

MUST COME DOWN.

Grand Jury Declares Against the Court House Chimney.

The grand jury has decided that the brick chimney in the rear of the court house, which has been threatening to fall for some time, must come down. They have so notified the Supervisors and in accordance with their desire the shaky structure will be razed to the ground. One contractor has offered to take the pile down and rebuild it for \$700. The offer, however, will not be accepted, because the Supervisors intend to replace the chimney with a smoke stack made of steel plates.

HIS BODY RECOVERED.

The Remains of S. H. Von Schmidt Found on the Sands Pit.

OVERCOME WITH THE CRAMPS.

Cast Up Not Far From Where the Accident Occurred.

THE BODY AT THE MORGUE.

The Dead Man's Comrade Tells the Story of the Catastrophe.

The body of S. H. Von Schmidt was

found about 8 o'clock this morning on the sand spit running out from the old narrow gauge pier on Alameda Point and was immediately removed to the morgue. The arms were tightly bent beneath the body, which was lying face downwards, and the contorted position of the fingers show that cramps were the cause of the strong swimmer's death, although from a scar over the left eye a possible doubt presents itself that Von Schmidt weakened from loss of blood and sank.

Captain E. A. Von Schmidt had a crew dragging the creek at daylight this morning but the body when found was high and dry on the sand. The dead man, wonderfully powerful swimmer, must have drowned in about four feet of water, for the accident occurred about 4 o'clock last evening when the tide was what is known as high water low, which would make it shallow enough at that point for a man to easily wade ashore.

To a certain extent the accident is a mystery. All of the men knew exactly how to handle a boat and Naujak, the one who was sailing at the time of the capsizing, has spent most of his life on sailing vessels.

The men who got ashore were too excited to clearly tell all of the incidents. William Naujak, one of the party was the first to bring the news to the Von Schmidt dredger where the cause of the accident was ascertained for his cousin. The engineer was alone on the boat at the time.

"The first thing I knew of it," he said this morning to a Tribune reporter, "was when I saw Naujak standing on the end of the wharf and calling for some one to go ashore for him. I took the small boat and went to get him. When I came within hearing distance I could hear him moaning. 'Oh, it is all my fault, I was sailing at the time and I am the cause of their deaths. He was greatly excited and wanted to go aboard right away and tell the admiral. He was not there though. He came ashore from his yachting cruise earlier, had been aboard the dredger, to change his clothes and started for him a disconnected manner. Naujak told me that the party were sailing up the creek with the wind coming over the stern. In the boat with him were Tom R. F. Morrison, a clerk with the Great American Towing Co., 329 Mission street, San Francisco, and a Dane who at one time worked about the dredger. They were nearly opposite the Peralta street wharf when a squall struck the boat, her nose went under and she sank. Morrison, who was a poor swimmer, clung to the mast, which stuck about a foot above the water, and the other three started to swim ashore. Naujak alone reached it. He did not wait to send a boat after Morrison, so I went to see about it. When I got to the foot of Broadway, I met Morrison. He had been picked up by the steamer. Then went to Alameda to notify Mr. Von Schmidt."

"Poor Sam," said Captain E. A. Von Schmidt. He had just returned from San Francisco, where he had been to notify his uncle and aunt of their son's death, and was on his way back to the dredger. "Poor Sam. It seems a mystery that such a powerful swimmer as he should drown. From the position of his arms and hands, though, I believe cramps overtook him. The wharf wound above his eye may have caused loss of enough blood to weaken him, but I am not sure that he had that in life. It may have been the work of cramps, and when I lifted the body into the boat I may have handled so as to cause the wound to look as though the blood flowed. When we found the body it was out of the water, and about 100 feet from where the boat sank. If this is where he went down, and it was probably very near the spot, the water was not over four feet deep at 4 o'clock last night, the time of the accident. I have notified his folks, and they will take charge of the remains now."

The body of the other man who attempted to swim ashore with Von Schmidt and Naujak has not yet been recovered. He too was a sailor, but described his ship and worked on Von Schmidt's dredger up to a short time ago.

A TRIP TO PELEE.

General Merritt and Robert Lincoln Visit a Very Famous Spot.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Major General Wesley Merritt, Commander of the department of Missouri, and Robert T. Lincoln have returned from the Pelee Fishing Club Reserve on Pelee Island in Lake Erie. General Schofield was also a member of the party.

General Merritt said: "One thing I found out about Pelee; it is owned by Great Britain and according to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty of 1852 it should belong to the United States. The treaty provided that all islands north of the Channel in the lake should belong to Great Britain and South of the channel to this country. The channel course was not properly laid down at that time or has changed since, as it is now north of the island."

"We went up to Put-in-Bay Island near the scene of Commodore Perry's

great naval victory. We visited a neglected, willow-grown spot where three American and three English naval Lieutenants and a number of other dead belonging to both countries are buried.

"There are no stones or other grave marks. The lot is inclosed only with posts and a chain. I had heard the government intended filling and marking in a proper manner these graves, and the purpose of our trip was to see if anything had been done."

DOES NOT APPLY.

Tenure of Office Act Does Not Affect San Francisco in the Least.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Judge Seawell today gave his reasons for declaring that the tenure of office act does not apply to San Francisco. He says San Francisco is a municipality and not a county and the act as passed by the Legislature applies only to counties.

He reviews several Supreme Court Decisions and says although it has been held that the City and County of San Francisco is a city it has never been held that it is a county. He declares if the County Government act controlled San Francisco, there has not been a legal Board of Supervisors since its passage.

ROSS' DECISION.

The Railroad Company Failed to File Its Map of Lands.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, May 18.—Judge Ross in the United States Circuit Court today delivered an opinion adverse to the defendant in the test cases which have been brought to establish the rights of settlers on thousands of acres of land in Southern California claimed by the Southern Pacific Railroad. Special Attorney J. H. Call has handled the cases for the government. The decision states that the railroad was guilty of gross negligence in not filing its map and five years of such delay has defeated its claims to the land.

HE WAS INVESTIGATING.

John A. Britton Went East to Examine the Gas Processes.

The real purport of the visit of John A. Britton, secretary of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, to the Eastern States, has at last been disclosed.

Many rumors have been circulated of late as to certain processes of gas manufacture and the cheapness with which by them gas could be manufactured and sold, and being desirous of taking advantage of any means by which the cost of the manufacture of gas could be lessened, Mr. Britton visited the Eastern States for the purpose of securing for his company such rights as could be purchased and such as would effect the desired end, and in an absence of five weeks has been thoroughly investigating all the claims made.

Upon his report the Board of Directors of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company has decided that there is nothing that can be purchased in the shape of gas processes that will put the gas into the holders at any less price than the processes controlled and operated by it at its station in Oakland.

"The public has had for years the benefit of voluntary reductions made by the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company in its prices, and it is reasonably certain that if a process could be found by which the price of gas could be reduced, that the public would receive the benefit."

FELTON FOR SENATOR.

His Friends Insist on His Running for the Place.

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—C. N. Felton will be a candidate for Senator before the next Legislature.

His friends are satisfied with the outlook as far as he is concerned and an active campaign in his behalf will be shortly commenced.

Buried With Honors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The obsequies of the late Colonel John A. Cockrell were held today in the Scottish Rite Hall. Over the casket was thrown a mortuary banner of the Loyal Legion, on which was a wreath of white roses and immortelles inscribed: "From John's Wife." The services included brief addresses by T. F. Egan, the Exalted Ruler of the E. F. O. E., and J. Howard Jr., President of the Press Club. The body was conveyed to the Calvary Baptist Church, where religious services were conducted by Rev. Dr. McArthur.

A Big Loss.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. TORREON, Mexico, May 18.—The large flouring mills and grain elevator of the Alleinea Manufacturing Company, situated here, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The mill had recently been equipped with new machinery and was the largest in Northern Mexico. The amount of insurance is small. There was a large stock of grain consumed.

DEATH IN THE WIND.

Heavy Loss of Life Inflicted by the Kansas Cyclone.

MANY ARE FATALLY INJURED.

Destruction Wrought in Fully a Half a Dozen Towns.

TELEGRAPH WIRES ARE DOWN.

But Five Houses Were Left Standing in One Large Village.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The news of the loss of life and the destruction of property by yesterday's cyclone in Kansas, is slow in coming in, owing to the crippled condition of the telegraph wires. Fully a half dozen towns were struck by the twister and the known dead number seven. The injured number fully thirty, many of whom it is feared were fatally hurt.

Reserve, a village on the Missouri Pacific, in Brown County, seems to have felt the brunt of the storm. But five houses were left standing there.

The killed and injured at Reserve are:

Killed: D. W. Terhune, aged 60; Ralph Sweeney, aged 9; Viola Phillips, 4; Mrs. John Rynder.

Injured: John Rynder, fatally. William Mellison; Mrs. D. W. Terhune and daughter; Sherman Phillips, Jerry Young and wife; George Kennedy; Ed Phillips; Harry Thompson and wife; Frank Jones; Mrs. Sweeney and three children; Rev. Mr. Parker, wife and daughter; William Margrave.

RUIN IN ITS PATH.

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The cyclone crossed the central branch of the Missouri Pacific at Blue River, two miles east of Irving, and followed the railroad and river to Frankfort; thence to Baileyville, Seneca, Sabes, Sabetha, and Reserve, entering Nebraska at Falls City. At Falls City it overturned twenty-six freight cars, demolished the B. & O. freight depot and damaged twenty-six houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hintop are reported to be hurt.

At Sabetha, Kansas, twenty-five houses were destroyed and twice as many wrecked.

Bodies identified in the vicinity of Sabetha were: Mrs. Jacob Meisner, Hattie Beuhley, Ellen Carey, Sherrard and Conwell children, number not given, Mrs. Saylor, Mrs. Schrug, Mr. Beachy, and an unknown woman.

Injured: W. M. Carey, George Carey, William Machamer, S. P. Hay, Artie Hay, Mrs. Carey, two Carey children. Mrs. Dick Murphy is not expected to live.

Forty Sabetha families are homeless. Six are reported killed near Omaha. The cyclone seems to have spent its force at Preston, Nebraska, where half the buildings are reported wrecked and several people injured, some dangerously.

STATE TRUST FUNDS.

Unable to Face the Disgrace M. L. Goldschmidt Commits Suicide.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Because he was unable to replace \$300 belonging to a secret society for which he was the collector and which had been lost to dealing in grain on the Board of Trade, M. L. Goldschmidt shot himself at his home, 4016 Indiana avenue, and death resulted immediately from the wound. Goldschmidt was well known in local government circles in this city and has borne an exemplary reputation. He had been employed in the registry department of the Custom House for the last thirteen years.

SPECIAL OFFER.

English Suitings—one suit for each pattern only, at great y cut prices.

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Returned the Bicycle.

The sister of young Johnnie Jones, the San Francisco lad who stole a bicycle last week from E. P. Baggot's Cyclery has returned the wheel, and in consideration of the lad's parents' the owner has agreed not to prosecute.

DON'T NEGLECT RUPTURE!



...if properly treated, is not usually a dangerous trouble. It may become so if neglected. If your old truss is worn out or does not fit you comfortably you ought to have a new one at once. We have a large stock and convenient Truss Room and do not want you to buy a five dollar truss when a two dollar one will do.

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RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee; it is a new and original product. Ralston-Koffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Koffee address or call, Ralston-Koffee Health Food Co., room 522, Central Bank bldg.
MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made cakes; ice cream made and delivered; bouillabaisse; chocolate and cakes 10c; 50c Seventh st., Market street station.
MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards, Employment Office, Agency United States Laundry, 125 Broadway.
NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."
HAIR can be saved, not grown; gray, falling, scales, itching cured. Specialist, 1010 Washington st.
FOR A FACT—Our lease having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh st., by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.
HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing. Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming 10c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 414-416 Central Bank building, Eleventh st.
NOTICE—the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' Store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present, see us at 408 Eleventh st.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counselor, with Dist. Att'y. Court House.
PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices' Court building, 512 cor. Broadway and Eighth st.
GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.
BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and Notary Public, 1003 1/2 Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.
CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.
HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law, office of Prosecuting Att'y, City Hall.
Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 557 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.
FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.
WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 505 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.
E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14.
GEORGE E. DE GOLA—567 Broadway, room 10, 2nd st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 32.
JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 821 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.
MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 37 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.
NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 561 Broadway.
R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 534 1/2 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.
SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, Dist. Att'y's office, Court House.
SAMUEL BELL, NEEKE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 357 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On the 11:15 P. M. trip of the steamer "Bay City," on Wednesday, a gold side comb, valued as a gift. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.
\$250 REWARD—Lost, on Monday evening, at the Macdonough Theater or between there and Eleventh and Broadway, a silver mounted ivory handle lognette, bearing initials "L. G. F." Return to this office and receive above reward.
LOST—Small round brown purse Thursday, May 15th, containing \$15 in gold, silver and stamps; lost in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Fifteenth sts., between Alice and Broadway. Call for reward at M. S. Smith & Sons, 1154-58 Broadway.
LOST—Between Market st., S. F., and Dwight way, Berkeley, via creek route, May 8th, large straw valise containing wearing apparel and papers of no value excepting to owner. A suitable reward will be paid for return of same to Patterson & Co. Express, Berkeley.
LOST—On Sunday last, cork rim cane, silver handle, snake wound; "E. E. W." and "1891" engraved on handle. Return to 1355 Eleventh avenue, East Oakland, and receive \$250 reward.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit; mortgages bought and sold; prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., 463 9th st., Oakland.
WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN on improved real estate at current rates of interest; usual current expenses. Hugh M. Cameron, broker, 475 Ninth st., Oakland.
WE HAVE \$1000 to loan on first class improved property at 8 per cent interest and another sum of \$1200 as a whole or in part on inside improved property at 9 per cent; larger amounts on approved loans on short notice and the current expenses will be as low as the lowest. Call or write to Hugh M. Cameron, Real Estate and Loan Broker, 475 Ninth st., Oakland.
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YOUNG MAN WANTED at Thomson's Bakery, 1209 Twenty-third ave., to drive wagon.
WANTED—Men in every county to act as private detectives under instruction. Experience necessary. Address: Detective Agency, Nashville, Tenn.
WANTED—Men and women to work at home; I pay \$3 to \$16 per week for making crayon portraits; new patented method; anyone who can read and write can do the work at home, in spare time, day or evening; send for particulars and begin work at once. Address: H. A. Giff, German Artist, Tyngsboro, Pa.
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\$75 WILL BUY stand and store, stock, good will and fixtures of the Free Market Fruit Exchange, No. 75 Washington st., Oakland.
FIRST CLASS Second Hand Washington Hand Press; also Eighth Medium Universal; both recently overhauled; cheap. Address: A. B. C., Tribune office.
SECOND HAND Gas or Gasoline Engines, various sizes; guaranteed perfect order; bargain. Address: W. Tribune office, Oakland.
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A GREAT BARGAIN—Any one desiring to purchase a small sized house and an English car should call at room 25, 1003 1/2 Broadway, Oakland, at once. It is a first class rig in every way and can be purchased for one-half its value. The horse is perfectly sound and a very fast roadster.
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MRS. DR. PARLOW, the most skilled chiropodist in San Francisco, is located at room 8, Hotel St. Nicholas, corner Market and Hayes sts. Reception hours, 1 to 5:30 P. M.

TO THE LADIES OF OAKLAND—On and after Monday, May 18th, the office of the Sceptic Co., in the Macdonough Building, will be in charge of Mrs. C. E. Douglas.

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BEAUTIFUL BARNES, Starratt Bros., Agents, 42 Twelfth street, Oakland.
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FOR RENT—A two-story house of six large rooms and yard on Seventh street, near Washington; rent \$15. Enquire at P. J. Keller's Floral Store, 51 Seventh street.
FOR RENT—\$30; house, nine rooms, sunny, central, on electric line, Sixteenth st., bet. Market and Myrtle sts. R. M. Anthony, 408 Ninth st.

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TO LET—Furnished cottage of five rooms, bath and bath; \$20 a month. Inquire 1466 Curtis st.
TO RENT—On account of owner going East, house of nine rooms, handsomely and completely furnished; rent very reasonable to responsible parties. Call at No. 524 Filbert st.

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HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR PROMPT RETURNS list your property for sale, rent or exchange, with E. Hill, real estate agent, 34 Donohue bldg., San Francisco.
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DESK ROOM, Stores and Houses to let; rent reasonable. Apply 1115 Broadway.

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WANTED—Good Jersey heifer calves, 1 or 5 months old. Address 401 Eighth st., Oakland.
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FOR SALE—Four good Brussels carpets. Inquire at 820 Brush st.
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WHAT AN OSTRICH EATS.

Broken down with consumption an ostrich recently died and below is a list of what was found in his stomach when he was dissected by a taxidermist in this city, says the New York World.
The bird's menu consisted in part of one wooden clothespin. The bottoms of two beer bottles. A mouth harmonica, five inches long and two inches wide. Ferrule of an umbrella with a piece of the stick in it about four inches long. Metal skate key. Brass door key five inches long. Two pieces of coal. Woman's silk handkerchief. Three stones about an inch thick. Some cabbage, grass, lettuce, celery and a quantity of sand.
The bird will be mounted in a museum and it has been proposed to preserve this collection of objects as an indication of the gastronomic proclivities of the bird in life, in much the same way that brave warriors sometimes have cases containing their trophies by the side of their tombs, or as the saloons of doughty champions of the Schuetzenfest are decorated with the prizes won at the targets.
THE OSTRICH'S DIGESTIVE POWERS.
Extraordinary as this statement may seem to those unacquainted with the habits of this bird, the Rev. J. G. Wood, a student, who has spent some years in observing and describing nature's odd creatures, says: "An ostrich will swallow almost anything that comes in its way. And the bill of fact which he makes out includes bricks, knives, old shoes, scraps of wood, feathers and tennipenny nails, in addition to stones."
"An authentic case is on record of one ostrich that solemnly swallowed, one by one, an entire brood of ducklings."
A California ostrich farmer, H. G. Reid, vouches for a story that on one occasion an ostrich plucked a pocket-knife out of the hands of one of his men and swallowed it. Some visitors who were present were greatly alarmed, fearing that the bird would die. To reassure them, Mr. Reid fed her another pocket-knife, and a handful of small steel screws.
Some weeks later the ostrich broke a leg and had to be killed. Out of curiosity the owner cut open the stomach and he says he found that the two knives had been completely digested and the screws partially so.
Mighty as the digestion of this bird is, he manages to make records in other ways, too.
SPEED OF AN OSTRICH.
For example his legs are almost as solid as those of a horse, and his skeleton from the rear resembles that of a greyhound. For short distances he can, aided by his wings, run at the rate of sixty miles an hour and his legs have a kicking force estimated at 1,000 pounds.
Domesticated birds have been known to shatter a one-inch plank as though it were a sheet of paper.
Perhaps the most extraordinary thing about this creature is its eggs. Each egg is equivalent to about two dozen ordinary hen's eggs and weighs on the average three pounds. Notwithstanding this fact, a single egg is not enough to satisfy a man and woman and have eaten four of them in the course of an afternoon.
Yet these eggs are powerful enough in other ways, as Dr. Bauer, of the Peabody Museum at Yale, discovered some time since.
He was filling into an ostrich egg that had been consigned to the college when suddenly it burst and threw the professor several feet with great violence.
The noise of the explosion brought some students to the laboratory, and Dr. Bauer was found unconscious and quite seriously injured.
EXPLOSIVE OSTRICH EGGS.
A similar explosion occurred afterwards in the Carnegie Laboratory on Twenty-sixth street, this city, but no one was hurt, and Dr. George Winter, of that institution, expressed his opinion at that time as to the danger of trifling with these eggs by saying "Not for science or money do I care to trifle with ostrich eggs. On one occasion I think that if I had not had a towel around an egg with which I was experimenting I should have lost my life."
These facts are explained when the character of the shell of the egg and its toughness are understood. In Australia the eggs are used as a water vessel, entire villages procuring their supply in them.
The Bushmen, when they are about to make a raid, send an advance party along the line. They bury these water-filled shells at certain designated spots, and when the raid is over and the little men are returning over the desert with their stolen cattle they quench their thirst from the liquid in the ostrich shells.
HOW OSTRICHES ARE HATCH

SOUND SERMONS.

John G. Woolley Gives an Able
Address on Temperance
Movements.

MUCH PRACTICAL ADVICE.

Rev. Dr. Law Compares the
World's Three Great
Religions.

DR. SMALL SHOOT'S STRAIGHT.

He Gives a Sensible Talk
on Every Day
Affairs.

John G. Woolley, the eloquent advocate of temperance, drew a large audience to the First Presbyterian Church last evening. Mr. Woolley declared that practical works and votes were needed from the Christian Church people, and illustrated his remarks by the recent changes in Iowa's Legislature. He continued his address, saying: "We must check the young on their downward path, we must remove the source of this evil, drink, if it takes a generation to suppress it."

"You have heard the story of the three traveling men who played a joke on a fellow-drummer, by stalling a ticket from him and inducing him to hide beneath a seat. When the conductor passed and called for tickets the stolen property was handed over, and the hiding drummer was pointed out with the explanation that he had peculiar tastes and preferred to travel that way. And so it is with many temperance workers. The great change which has been brought about in Iowa is not owing to a carefully of powerful prohibition workers, but to the fact that they are hiding under a seat."

"William McKinley might as well cut his throat as to get up at the St. Louis Convention and declare himself for prohibition and moral reform. Why is it? Not because the delegates who will name a President are personally corrupt, nor because they all drink, but because they lack a fixed principle and courage and are hiding under a seat."

INDIVIDUAL CONVERSION.

Rev. James Small Preaches on
A Well Selected
Subject.

Rev. James Small of the First Christian Church chose the theme of "Individual Conversion and Consolation" on Sunday morning and selected as a text, "He that endures to the end shall be saved."

"It is one thing to cross the Red Sea," he said, "it is another thing to reach Canaan. Many followed Moses through the Red Sea, but failed to enter the land of rest. Many perished in the wilderness. If a man will not stay with God after his conversion, God will not stay with him. If we cannot fall away and be finally lost, the admonitions of the Apostles are surely out of place. I have seen that change too often to doubt it. A man can turn his back on Jesus and become the meanest devil on earth. If there is a way forward there is a way back. But

"Though I forget him and wander away still he doth lead me whither I stray. Back to his dear loving arms do I flee. When I remember that Jesus loves me."

"This leads me to say that there are three salvations in the New Testament. Paul represents them in the words justification, sanctification and glorification. The first is justification, the second is sanctification, the third is glorification, or in other words there is a past salvation, a present salvation and a future salvation. We are to acquire first of all, what is involved in the first."

"It cannot be better stated in fewer words than Paul states it. 'In whom we have redemption through His blood, even the forgiveness of sins, the cleansing of our consciences from all unrighteousness, the purging of the old leaven, that we may be a new creature, that we may have the inheritance of the kingdom of glory.'"

"He lost his faith in God and was persuaded to believe a lie. This was the root of all his troubles and would seem to indicate that in his conversion the basis must be laid in planting faith in his soul. This is borne out by two passages in Paul's writings. 'Circumcision avails nothing nor uncleanness, but a new creature' (Gal. vi:16) again, 'circumcision avails nothing nor uncleanness, but faith that worketh by love' (Gal. v:6).

"He disobeyed. His unbelief developed into disobedience. And this disobedience was rewarded by a command of a positive character, which brought him face to face with the authority of God. It was a naked issue."

"A commandment—a prohibition—which rested simply and solely on divine authority, and in violating which he absolutely defied God. And in coming back to God he must again come face to face with authority, and in an obedience which accepts that authority, as absolutely as Adam renounced it, he must cast away his rebellion, deny himself, and acknowledge the sovereignty of God. Baptism is that test of obedience."

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hence, that trial of faith, hence says James: 'Was not Abraham our father justified by works, when he had offered Isaac his son, upon the altar? Abraham was justified by a special act of obedience. But I must quote another passage found in 1 Cor. vi:19. 'Circumcision avails nothing, and uncleanness is nothing, but the keeping of the commands of God.'

"He was conscious of guilt, and in coming back this guilt must be removed. Here is the order: Unbelief, disobedience, guilt, faith, obedience, pardon."

"He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. When God appoints two things for the accomplishment of one end it takes both those things to bring about that end. What God hath joined together men ought not put asunder."

"He was separated from God. This is spiritual death. In life there is union, in death there is separation. This is the order: Unbelief, disobedience, guilt, faith, obedience, pardon. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. When God appoints two things for the accomplishment of one end it takes both those things to bring about that end. What God hath joined together men ought not put asunder."

"We were my spirit but turned from the outward and dim. It could gaze even now on the presence of Him. And what if my feet never tread where he stood. Nor my ears hear the dashing of Galleys' flood. Nor my eyes see the cross which he bowed Him to bear. Nor my knees press Gethsemane's garden of prayer. Yet loved of the Father His spirit is near. To the meek and the lowly and penitent here. And the voice of His love is the same even now. As at Bethany's tomb or on Olivet's brow."

"He went down to the grave. He must be brought up again, so that there is a physical regeneration accomplished before the work is completed. I know to some this is all moonshine. They have progressed far beyond the resurrection of the body, but this is just the way my Bible reads and when there is a dispute between the higher critics and the old book, I prefer to be on the side of the Lord every time."

"What is the thing to present salvation? It is one thing to present possession of Christ, it is quite another thing to come into possession of eternal life. 'The crown is yet to be won.' There may be blossoms in the spring but no fruit in the autumn. The Lord demands a full consecration of our powers. We must be, or need be, a consecrated pastor and teachers and evangelists than there is now. We cannot be half-hearted and succeed. There is no power on earth that can turn that soul that is devoted to Jesus. To gain the greater it always supposes that we sacrifice the lesser. There are many like Esau selling their inheritance for a mess of pottage. My young friend, the devil never gives anything good that he promises. I challenge any man to show that he ever got anything good at the hands of the devil. The devil has no happy old men. To be saved from the power of sin, from the blight of his curse we must attend to the means of grace. They are God's own appointments, and if we do not use them they will not help us."

"What is involved in the future salvation? We know not the employment and enjoyments of the redeemed in heaven. But from what has been given us we know that the Father in heaven is lifting up the palace of the King in no niggardly way. Heaven is home. It is society, it is palms of victory. It is to be clothed in white, it is to be his forever. It is archways and unbroken glories. We are only in the morning of light, we are only in the dawn of the eternal day. Here we sit down to the table of plenty, but we hunger again, we drink of life's fountain, but thirst returns, we look upon life's beauty fades, but when we look to the King in His beauty, when we see that fair land, the summer land of bliss, when Jesus shall lead us to fountains of living water, when we walk the golden streets and wander by the banks of the river of life, we shall hunger no more, and we shall be satisfied when we awake in His likeness."

RELIGIOUS LEADERS.

Rev. Dr. Law Preaches on
"Buddha, Mahomet
and Jesus."

Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector of the Church of the Advent, delivered a sermon yesterday morning on "Buddha, Mahomet, Jesus." In the course of his sermon he said:

"For the purposes of easy recollection you may place the beginning of Buddhism 600 years before Christ and the beginning of Mohammedanism 600 years after. The latter is very much in evidence these days, for the sword of the prophet is engaged in slaying the Armenian Christians, while the whole world looks on and fears to interfere because of the uncertain effect it might have upon the balance of power. Mohammedanism has been from the first a gigantic imposture. Mahomet proclaimed the religion of the sword, stating that God's other prophets, Moses, Solomon and Jesus had failed by their methods. So the prophet was, 'Don't argue with people, but kill them if they fail to agree with you and refuse to become Moslems.'"

Buddhism has always been very different. Its roots are lost in a misty antiquity, for it came from Brahmanism and that dates two thousand years before Christ. It is very complicated and requires long study to understand its simplest interpretation. It is mixed the ancient peoples of the earth that God despised of men's finding out what was wanted of them when left to exercise their free will. The plagues of Egypt from Heaven was no sooner heard than it was forgotten, or so befuddled that the people were in hopeless darkness. The select few claim to have found out God's wishes in India, and forthwith carried their treasure into seclusion and the common people perished for want of it. The prayer of all Buddhists is a cry for light, for explanation of the mysteries of nature, of being, of the human soul, of man's duty. But the priests kept their knowledge to themselves and let the people go. The result has been that the Buddhist religion, or the 'Wisdom religion,' as the 'Esoterics' fondly call it, has away over about one-third of the earth, that the most ignorant and benighted part of it."

FOR THE STUDENTS.

Rev. Dr. Morse Preaches the California College Baccalaureate Sermon.

Rev. S. B. Moore preached the baccalaureate sermon yesterday for the dentist students who will graduate next Thursday at the California College.

The general subject of the sermon was, "What Constitutes True Greatness?" and the text, "I say unto you, that of all men born of women there is not one greater than John, the Baptist." Dr. Morse said:

"John's greatness was because he had a purpose in life. True greatness consisted in conquering circumstances, particularly adverse."

He gave practical and forceful examples to illustrate his text and spoke particularly of Henry Wilson, once Vice-President of the United States. He dwelt at length upon the character of John; how his raiment was soiled and coarse; how he lived not upon luxuries but upon locusts and wild honey, and from this he drew the lesson that all who would be great must overcome appetites and be master of themselves in the largest sense of the word. Like John's life, he contended that men must be self-education, a setting aside of all personal interests."

He drew many practical lessons and dwelt particularly on what the life of a minister should be. He said that the church should be greater than his own ambition."

He dwelt upon the impatience of this age, which must be overcome, and in contrast told how the "two greatest men that ever lived," Jesus and John, had spent thirty years in preparing for the actual work among men which in John's case covered but six or eight months and Jesus a little over three years."

AN ELOQUENT APPEAL.

Rev. Edwards Davis at the
Central Christian
Church.

The Central Christian Church was crowded last night as usual. Rev. Edwards Davis spoke on "The Tents of Earth or the Mansions of the Sky." The text of the theme was taken from 11 Cor. v:1. "For we know that if the earthly house of our bodily form be dissolved, we have a building from God, not made with hands, eternal, in the heavens."

The subject contrasted the palaces of rich men with the mansions of the intellectual realm, especially emphasizing the facts that the generality of men lived in houses of poverty, and that half of humanity was dwelling in tenements, flats, and boarding houses. The speaker sympathetically referred to the vast wrong homeless, hungry, half-clothed, but he claimed that it was better to be unburied here and from the height of exalted thought look down on the comparatively miserable house of the earthly rich, than to be looking up sneeringly at the inhabitants of the castle of the clouds, who gazed with pity down upon the grooping world."

The Rev. Dr. Davis narrated at length the story of an old woman's life. She had found wandering about the streets at night. She had been to nearly every place of charity in the city, and in turn dismissed because of drinking. At last for her it seemed the poor house was the only place of refuge. At this juncture the Rev. Dr. Davis made a deep impression was made by the young pulpit orator on the splendid audience, in tears and silence are expressive."

It was announced that the "Rational Revival" would continue indefinitely at the Academy church on Fifteenth and Clay streets.

Mother's Mischief is a breakfast delight.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The young Oaklander who has gone forth with the intent to stay Apache Kid probably does not fully realize the extent of his contract. The Kid could clothe himself with the scalps of others who have undertaken this job, San Francisco Examiner.

The good people of Oakland have cause for congratulation. The inspectors of the city, who have been examining into the sanitary condition of the bakeries report that not a single one of them is in any objectionable condition.—Alameda Enquirer.

This county is being worked by the makers of spurious quarters, halves, and dollars. The merchants of Oakland are complaining loudly of the matter, and an attempt will be made to capture the shavers of the queer. It will be well for all our people to give close attention to their change when dealing in Oakland.—Washington (Livingston) Press.

A Cat Story.

My blue Persian is a gentle, sentimental creature, slightly inclined to melancholy, and a slightly even more besomely affectionate to one or two select friends. She has been accustomed from the time I first had her (last summer) to be continually with me, generally on my lap or shoulder. When the winter evenings began to draw in I took to playing the piano, which I had not done during the summer. The cat could not understand why, when this was going on, she was not allowed to take up her usual position in front of me. I suppose, to show her disappointment of my occupation, she would continually climb up, either on me or the piano, and pat my hands with her paws, and pull them off the keys (very gently and without scratching at all). This became such a nuisance that I could not play unless I put her out of the room; but she would sit outside and howl, and when anyone opened the door she would rush in and begin to captivate. At last I thought of a way of treating her—namely, like a rational being. I placed a chair next to the music stool (as though for myself) put her on it, and explained the matter to her and from that time I have had no further trouble, unless I forgot to put her chair for her when I begin to play.—London Spectator.

"And this is your first view of Lake Michigan! Is it not grand, glorious, inspiring? Look at that stately mansion yonder one looks but over the smooth boulevard, the sea wall, the waves that ceaselessly—"

"What is that coming down the road?"

"That—h'm—that is a young woman in bloomers riding her wheel. Let's go and get something to eat."—Chicago Tribune.

"I wonder if Johnson tells the truth when he says his wife has such a sunny disposition?"

"Of course he does. Every time he does not do exactly as she wishes she makes it hot for him."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS BUSY.

Conventions Called and Every
Arrangements for a
Good Campaign.

BERKELEY, May 18.—There is on exhibition in the University Library an example of printers' and illustrators' skill. It is one of the original Eucharist books printed by the LeVin's Press at New York and is at present owned by the rector of St. Mark's church. The words are arranged by Sir John Stainer while the plate designs are by Robert A. Bell. The handsome initialing and decorative borders are designed by Chas. A. Sherborne. The entire volume is unusually handsome and artistic.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.

The Equal Suffrage Club of Berkeley will hold a convention Wednesday afternoon and evening in Shattuck Hall. Mrs. Geo. W. Haight will deliver an address of welcome. Mrs. Albert Canfield and Miss Severance will address the afternoon meeting. The former will speak on "Does the Wife and Mother Need the Ballot?" and the latter on the subject "Does the Business Woman Need the Ballot?" Miss Yates of Michigan, Geo. W. Haight, and others will address the evening meeting. All the suffrage clubs of Alameda, Contra Costa and vicinity are requested to attend. The suffragists of Berkeley are making a very active campaign. The ladies were invited to speak before the West Berkeley Republican Club, and the club has been extended a cordial invitation to the convention. The club has also decided to hold a mass meeting and discuss the suffrage question.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The West Berkeley glass works are closed down owing to the breaking of the melting pots. As these pots can only be obtained in the East it will be at least three weeks before the work can be resumed.

Professor Lyle and Mr. Wilcox have presented five colored photographs in a large frame of the participants in the play "A Love for a Love" to the University Library.

South Berkeley.

SOUTH BERKELEY, May 18.—Dr. Allen and family took their departure for Boulder Creek, where they will spend the summer. Tomorrow evening the members of Perilla Hook and Ladder Company will hold a meeting at the engine house, and elect officers for the ensuing year.

The Committee on Improvement of Streets of the South Berkeley Improvement Club is working hard to have Ashby avenue extended from College avenue to the foothills, which will not only be a great improvement but make the line of travel pass over Ashby avenue. Mr. Hoppe, of the firm of Brigham, Hoppe & Co. of San Francisco, has given his consent as far as his land is concerned, and enters heartily into the project.

Temescal.

TEMESCAL, May 18.—Captain Johnson entertained the Whist Club last Thursday evening. Silver Star No. 2 Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W. gave a very enjoyable entertainment Thursday evening at A. O. U. W. Hall. Speeches were made by Mrs. Stewart, Sam Booth, and members of the State lodge who were present.

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DEATH HAS NO TERRORS

Esoteric Philosophy Brings an Utter Contentment to the Mind.

Dr. Anne J. Patterson Presents Some Excellent Ideas on "After Death."

The following are extracts from a paper read at the Theosophical Library, Hamilton Hall, Tuesday evening, by Dr. Anne J. Patterson, on the subject of "After Death."

"Out of the darkness through the open window of birth, the life of man comes to the earth. It dwells awhile before our eyes. In the darkness, through the open window of death, it vanishes from our sight, and man has questioned ever of religion, whence comes it? Whither goes it? While the answers have varied with the faith."

"The general belief in reincarnation is sufficient to prove that the religions of which it formed a central doctrine believed in the survival of the soul after death, proofs of which are to be found in all the great religions of antiquity."

"Birth and death are the aspects of the cyclic law. They symbolize the outbreathing and the inbreathing of the 'great life.' The soul enters the physical plane, and in the process of the life and the unfolding of the immortal part of man shakes off from itself one after another its outer casings, as the snake sheds its skin, the butterfly from its chrysalis, emerging only after the other, passing into higher states of consciousness. The real man lives after the death of the body. He is simply freed from it, and by analogy should be able to act more vigorously than before. To ascend in the spiritual sense is to withdraw one's self from the outward to the inward, for self in subjectivity, and those who become more spiritual in thought and aspiration mentally leave the external plane of the visible and rise into the invisible realm of true soul life."

"This knowledge may be acquired by the spirit of the living man coming into conscious relations with the world of spirit. When man comes to recognize his own inherent nature, he learns to open his prison doors, and he occasionally escapes from his earthly cage. First, he learns to identify himself with his immortal self, and rises above the body and the passions of desire into a pure mental and moral life, when he knows that the conquered body cannot hold him in bondage, so he steps out into the sunshine of his true life, and then when death finally overtakes him, he is acquainted with the country he is to inhabit, having hitherto trodden his ways at his own will, and he realizes the fact of supreme importance that life is his constant existence, unbroken, unbreakable, and he is no longer afraid of death, for he is less alone, because of the heavy coverings which surround and weigh him down."

"Esoteric philosophy postulates the existence of three after death states—Karma-Loka, Devachan and Nirvana. We will confine our remarks to Devachan, as time will only permit of an epitome of even this. Devachan, or its analogy, heaven, is a state or condition between two earth lives, or an interval between births in the world. It is almost impossible to describe states of consciousness, as they must be felt and experienced, but if we try to understand and realize the relation between the various states we experience in earth life, we may to some extent infer what Devachan is like—that is, we make it seem more real to ourselves."

"One of the first points to be noticed is that the soul, while in Devachan, is entirely out of the influence of the earth life, that is, as a rule. The soul no longer has a physical vestment or a physical brain to use as an instrument, it is clothed only in a mental vestment, hence in order to understand more clearly its condition we must study our own minds and the laws governing thought."

"In Devachan the thought has free scope and can express itself in the thought vestment, which responds immediately and coincidentally with the thought, so it is said that man achieves to the full that which he desires. He simply rises to the plane of his ideal, and has a foretaste of what he will accomplish some day in earth life."

"The assimilation and transformation of thought into character form is one purpose of Devachan, and for the majority of people Devachan is a necessity."

"While we believe that those with only 'one talent' will enter, we do not declare, as all selfish concerns of material life are left behind on earth and in Karma-Loka."

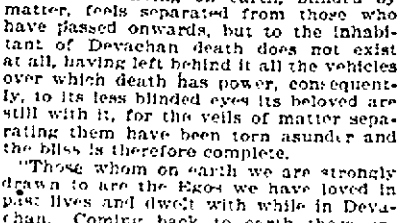
"The soul, like an architect that works out his plans in silence and deep meditation, and then brings them forth into the outer world, where his edifice is to be built, so out of the knowledge gained in part lives, plans are drawn for the next return to earth and put into objective form. In fact, all effective action has its source in deep meditation, and out of the silence ever comes the creative word."

"If we would often pass into the Devachan state while sojourning in the body, advantage would be gained, and really no waste of time, for this state of consciousness may be entered by one who has learned to withdraw himself from the meshes of the senses, and then coming forth into material surroundings, action is more direct, prompt and purposeful. The more free and less illusory life is that minus the body, and comparatively speaking the disembodied is the normal state, and from this plane we sometimes return to the physical condition for brief periods of time, in order to gain experience otherwise unattainable, and return with them to reach our more abiding state. As one seeking a pearl does the diving dress to explore the bottom of the ocean, so the Thinker or Ego plunges into the depths of the ocean of life to seek the pearl of experience, but as it is not his own element he does not stay there long, but rises up into his own atmosphere, having laid aside and left behind the gross, heavier element of physical environment."

COFFIN NAILS.

"Just One More," She Cried, as She Breathed Her Last.

Beautiful Minnie McDermick. She Follows Her Brother Into Eternity, Via Cigarette Route.



La Porte, Ind., May 18.—Two lives have been tied to the stake of the cigarette. Minnie McDermick, a beautiful girl, died yesterday morning at the age of 21, after a long illness, which was caused by the use of cigarettes.

She was a sister of the late John McDermick, who died of the same disease. She had been a heavy smoker for some time, and her health had been steadily declining since she began to smoke.

Her father, who is a well-known merchant in La Porte, has been very anxious to get her cured, but she would not listen to him. She said that she felt that she was going to die, and she wanted to smoke one more cigarette.

She was found dead in her bed, with a cigarette in her hand. The doctor who attended her said that she had died of a heart attack, which was caused by the use of cigarettes.

This is another case of the danger of smoking cigarettes. It is a habit that is becoming more and more prevalent, and it is causing many deaths every year.

Parents should be very careful to see that their children do not become addicted to this habit. It is a habit that is very hard to break, and it can do a great deal of harm to the body.

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STREET CAR GUARDS.

Inventors Invited to Appear Before the Council Committee.

The Matter Will Be Given Thorough Attention Ere Acted Upon.

Chairman Bassett called the Street Railroad Committee to order Friday for the purpose of attending to the matter of guards or fenders for the electric cars.

Communications asking that their guards be approved or recommended were received from the following: L. A. Norton, the Consolidated Street Railroad Co.; Markham Street Car Fender Co., Piedmont and Mountain View Railroad Co., and the Central Avenue Railroad Co.

Mr. Clark, inventor of the Clark or Alameda guard, was the only inventor who appeared in person to explain the virtues of his invention and how it had saved seven lives. It was practically, he said, because it protrudes far beyond the end of the car, and being attached to the truck it is not affected by the oscillation of the car.

Bassett said he did not believe that any guard which sticks out far beyond the front of the car would be effective, and he related a circumstance of a blind man who had been struck by a locomotive on two different occasions and the cow-catcher saved his life.

Clark then read a recommendation from Nicholas Tank of Alameda, who "disposed" and said that he was carrying a batch of eggs one day when struck by a car provided with a Clark guard. It picked not only him up, but also his hat and eggs, breaking only of the eggs two. He felt no worse after the accident than before, and came to Oakland, sold his eggs at a good price and lived happily ever afterwards.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

The Allotment of Delegates to the Several Sections.

Club Rolls Must Be Completed on and Before June 1st.

The Democratic County Committee, pursuant to a call from the Democratic State Central Committee, will hold primaries, June 5th, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention in Sacramento June 10th.

All Democrats must be enrolled before June 1st, in order to vote on the 5th.

The delegates will be apportioned on the basis of one delegate for each 500 votes cast for Budd as Governor.

The first ward will have three delegates; second ward, three; third ward, two; fourth ward, three; fifth ward, two; sixth ward, three; seventh ward, two; Alameda township, four; Brooklyn township, one; Oakland township, five; Eden township, three; Murray township, two; Washington township, two; making a total of thirty-five delegates.

The County Committee will elect one delegate at large, and the ward or township of which the delegate is a resident will be curtailed one delegate.

The poll list will be examined by ward and township committees Tuesday evening, June 2d, and illegal voters will be purged from the roll.

The election in Brooklyn township will be held between the hours of 2 P. M. and 5 P. M., under the direction of Committee-men James Miner and John Kerwin.

J. T. Fleming, A. F. St. Sure, C. B. Russell, Max Glas, J. Rosseter, M. F. Tarpy, H. B. Reams, B. J. Triest, A. R. Baum will have charge of the election in Alameda township.

In Oakland township, James Sullivan, P. E. Mitchell, J. O'Rourke, James Landigan, William O'Neill, A. F. Polier, C. T. Kern, Daniel Dyer, E. J. Stewart, R. H. Jayne, E. L. Fitzgerald, T. H. Handerson, Thos. Landigan, E. C. Berken and Chas. Matthews will have charge of the election, and the five delegates will be apportioned as follows: East Berkeley, two delegates; West Berkeley, one, and the portion outside of East and West Berkeley, two delegates.

In Eden township, the election will take place in the various precincts between 2 P. M. and 5 P. M., under the direction of P. H. Moore, M. J. Kerwin, J. C. Miller, John McLaughlin, George Rue, M. J. O'Brien, James Cahill, E. J. Holland, P. B. Roman.

In Murray township, J. B. Hontela, J. H. Hontela, W. H. Wright, W. P. Martin, Steve Henry, J. H. Richter, J. D. Collins, W. H. Donahue and Harry Abbott will direct the election, which will occur between the hours of 2 and 5.

In the first ward, the three delegates will be elected under the direction of P. W. Leonard, H. H. Hanson, P. B. Barnard, T. Gelberth, H. Dusterberry will direct the election, which takes place between 2 and 5 P. M.

The second ward, which elects three delegates, will be under the direction of P. J. Brophy, W. K. McKee, E. J. Erickson, W. H. Maurer, Walter Smyth, C. L. Dam, J. D. Scanlon.

In the third ward, William Mullins, Frank J. Moffitt, W. B. White, John McDonald, Patrick O'Kane, J. F. Connors and J. Kehoe will have charge of the election.

In the fourth ward, C. W. Logan, M. J. Kelly, T. J. Hopkins, P. Haley, J. P. Kelley, J. Harrington, Paul Keller will have charge.

In the fifth ward, J. B. Letter, R. B. Snell, H. L. McKee, J. E. Finnegan, R. M. Fitzgerald, M. J. English and C. L. Dam, J. D. Scanlon.

In the sixth ward, Andrew McGarry, Thos. White, John Conroy, C. O. O'Garra, P. E. Dalton, P. E. Crocker and Martin Ryan will direct the election.

In the seventh ward, A. M. Belt, Jas. Mulgrew, M. J. Layman, E. F. Duberret, D. La Fortune, H. L. Moffitt and Jacob Samuel will have charge of the election.

A GREAT GALE BLOWS.

Much Damage Done by the Wind in the Eastern States.

In the Northwest it Traveled About Fifty Miles an Hour.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. NIAGARA FALLS, May 18.—The great Niagara fruit belt has been severely damaged by the terrific gale which prevailed all day yesterday.

The wind began early in the morning to blow strong from the west, and by noon it was a howling gale, which tore the young fruit off in clusters.

The indications from the blossoms in the orchards throughout this section pointed to one of the largest fruit crops in years.

The fruit formed splendidly. There has been no frost, and fruit-growers were congratulating themselves on the future, when the gale came along and changed the aspect of affairs. Apples, pears and plums suffered the most.

So fierce was the gale that whole branches were torn from the trees. Small fruits escaped without much damage.

It is estimated that half of the apple crop is lost and nearly as much in pears and plums. Peaches suffered some, but nothing near to what the others did.

IN MICHIGAN. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 18.—A wind storm with a velocity of fifty miles an hour struck this section Sunday morning and continued until night. Shade trees, windmills, etc., suffered severely, and it is feared that peaches have been badly damaged.

WISCONSIN SUFFERS. MILWAUKEE, May 18.—A southwest gale swept over Wisconsin Sunday of forty-two miles an hour. Cautionary signals were displayed by the Weather Bureau, and in consequence no vessels left port.

A tremendous sea was running on Lake Michigan all day. The wind was so fierce in Milwaukee and vicinity that trees were uprooted and several houses in course of construction were blown down.

Several bicyclists were thrown from their wheels and a number of baby carriages were overturned.

Considerable damage is reported from interior towns. Plainfield and Baraboo both report it the worst gale known in years.

Martha Washington Social. Phil Sheridan Circle No. 5, Ladies of the G. A. R., will give a Martha Washington social on Tuesday next at Loring Hall, corner of Clay and Eleventh streets. Every sister of the Circle will be dressed in the time of one hundred years ago. It will be a grand affair.

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An Indiana Councilman's Family Meet With a Sad Disaster.

By Associated Press to The Tribune. FRANKLIN, Ind., May 18.—Last night Councilman Frank Crowell left his rig in front of his residence, intending to take his mother, who was in the surrey, together with his wife and children to her own home.

During his absence the horse took fright and ran away. The elder Mrs. Crowell and the 6 year old boy were thrown out, but Mrs. Crowell, the younger, and her baby remained in the rig until Water street was reached, where the surrey struck a pole and they were thrown out on the brick pavement, the child being killed instantly.

Mrs. Crowell was dangerously hurt. The elder Mrs. Crowell is hurt internally and her recovery is not probable. The boy was internally injured.

Joins the Federation. By Associated Press to The Tribune. DENVER, May 18.—The Western Federation of Miners has decided to amalgamate with the American Federation of Labor and will elect delegates to a convention of the latter body. The selection of a site for a home for invalid miners has been left to the Executive Committee.

Joins the A. P. By Associated Press to The Tribune. NEW YORK, May 18.—The Bridgeport Evening News, one of the strongest and most influential newspapers in Connecticut, controlled and managed by George W. Hill, has become a member of the Associated Press, receiving the leased wire service.

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City of Oakland.
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Administratrix of the estate of Phillip
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THREE VOTES ARE ABSENT.

Oakland, However, Should Get the Wilmerding School.

The Matter Comes Up Tomorrow Before the Board of Regents.

The meeting of the Board of Regents of the State University, which has the power to select a site for the Wilmerding school, will be held in San Francisco tomorrow afternoon. It is of much importance to Oakland, for at present, this city holds what looks to be the winning hand.

Since the last adjournment, one month ago, the San Francisco forces have been working on individual members of the Board for the support of their proposition. Stockton has also been diligently pulling wires and claims four votes, though only conceded three. Ex-Mayor W. R. Davis will be in attendance and present the case for Oakland. When seen by a Tribune man today Mr. Davis said:

"Nobody knows the strength of San Francisco, but Oakland's support is positive. If at either of the previous hearings a vote had been taken, we had strength enough to have won out and I think we have yet. But the Fates have hit us three times since the argument before the Board began."

"First—Regent Bartlett's term expired. He was of Oakland, but his successor, John Budd, is of Stockton. Second—One of our supporters is now in the East and will be absent at the next meeting. Third—General Houston has obtained a leave of absence and may not be at the next meeting. Though every effort is being made to keep him here until the matter is decided. Despite these misadventures we still have a strong and affirmative support in the Board which we believe will secure the site for this side of the bay, but of course we are not certain."

"It seems impossible for Stockton to get it and Oakland with Stockton's votes of three or four ought to have enough to prevail. Stockton's second choice is Oakland."

The report of the Committee on Sites favored the Bayala property. We have also E. K. Shattuck's place near the U. C. in the town of Berkeley; the site on Seventh and Adeline streets, Badger's Park location, Curtis' seven-acre tract in Temescal and any of these can be chosen as long as we get the school on this side."

"The situation is hopeful, but it needs the support and work of every friend of Oakland, from now until the vote is taken."

"King Otto, the mad monarch of Bavaria, whose forty-eighth birthday was celebrated last week, is a pitiable object in his lonely castle. His glimmering eyes grow less frequent constantly, although his physical health is robust. His strength is tremendous and it takes many powerful men to hold him when he is bent on murder or suicide."

HARD TO FIGURE OUT

The Third Congressional Fight Is Worrying the Politicians.

A BIG MEETING TOMORROW.

Indications That Harmony Will Before Long Be Restored.

DEMOCRATS HAVE A SET-TO.

W. W. Foote Wins the Contest for Delegates—at Large.

There is a peculiar reticence on the part of politicians generally concerning the recent action of the regular Third District Congressional Committee which vested the power for the conducting of Congressional primaries with the heads of the various County Central Committees. No one wants to say anything about it on either side—and in fact no one claims to have a thorough knowledge of the significance of the action. According to popular opinion the future alone can bring it to light.

Members of the new, or "primary," Congressional Committee, particularly, have no desire to discuss the situation, though from the guarded remarks made it would seem as though there will not be much opposition to the proposed measure. The only fear manifested in allowing the County Central Committee to have charge of the primaries is that by the appointment of election officers the primaries may be conducted so that challenges can be thrown out, to interfere with, if not block, some of those who are claimed to be entitled to vote.

However, although the new committee believes to have the only authority to issue a call, many think that the members should not exercise their powers at this critical time, and sentence it is save, will be divided at the meeting tomorrow.

W. R. Davis, when seen today, thought there had been already too much talk about the matter, and did not think agitation was advisable at present.

The statements which have gained currency recently to the effect that he announced in the State Convention that the only legal Congressional Committee was composed of the Chairmen of the various County Central Committees, Mr. Davis says is without any foundation whatever.

"It is known to every one who heard the discussion," he says, "that such a statement was not made. I might have said that a committee thus composed would be better than the one in existence, but in the same breath I also stated, that Congressional Committee of Chairmen is, or would not be, a legally constituted committee. A man can furnish reason for others, but he certainly cannot supply the missing link. This is all there is in that statement."

In reference to the proposed action of the "primary" committee, Mr. Davis said he had given the matter no thought. "They can call primaries if they desire," he said, "but I do not follow that because they possess the power to do so they have to use it. The true purpose of the meeting will be to consider what action is advisable."

"The only way to restore harmony is to have a primary which commands the confidence of everybody, and this is not done, there is not much hope of healing up dissension. The fundamental principle which should now govern deliberations is to stand by that measure which will command the support and co-operation of the honest and intelligent men."

Mr. Davis will not be at the meeting of the Congressional Committee tomorrow, for he will represent the interests of Oakland at the session of the Board of Regents in San Francisco on the same day, when the Wilmerding School location will be finally considered.

State Central Committee.
Chairman Arthur of the Republican State Convention has named the State Central Committee. The members are: Leon Stoss, John D. Spruckles, W. W. Shannon, Cornelius O'Connor, M. E. Higgins, A. Ruef, Harry N. Gray, W. A. S. Nicholson and Paris Kilburn of San Francisco, E. F. Preston of San Mateo, Frank M. Laughlin of Oroville, A. B. Lommon of Santa Rosa, James W. Reno of San Jose, E. K. Taylor of Alameda, M. H. Welch of Pasadena, Frank A. Miller of Riverside, Irving H. Dudley of San Diego, Frank P. Flint, H. Z. Osborne and W. F. Parker of Los Angeles and W. F. George of Sacramento.

The members of the committee will meet at the room of the State Central Committee, 419 California street, next Thursday at 1 P. M. for the purpose of organization.

The selection of Taylor of Alameda is a flattering compliment to that gentleman. Despite the fact that Taylor fought before the State Convention Mr. Arthur has recognized his value to the party and the ability and hard work he has displayed in all campaigns.

The Democrats.
The Democratic battle Saturday night was sharp and decisive. It ended in the selection of W. W. Foote for delegate-at-large to the State Convention, Fitzgerald being outvoted by 52 to 45.

The meeting was not particularly harmonious, the open split between the Layman and Fitzgerald forces being very noticeable. Fitzgerald brought out his proposition to have the election of the delegate-at-large to the primaries and the Layman side objected. Then came the voting and the contest was over.

It was rumored that Fitzgerald intended contesting Foote's seat, but when seen today by a Tribune man he said: "I shall not fight Foote unless he meddles with me. If he keeps his hand out of the contest between Layman and myself I have nothing to say at all, but if he openly supports Layman, he can expect to hear from me. All I want is a fair fight and no favors. I am not a candidate for delegate-at-large, but am running from my district. Foote has no reason to mix up in the district contest. Democracy has honored him once, now he should be satisfied. Let him leave me alone and I will not interfere with him."

The call as adopted by the committee orders the primary or club elections to be held June 5th. Club membership rolls will be closed on the 1st of June.

The apportionment is as follows: First ward, three delegates; Second ward, three; Third ward, two; Fourth ward, two; Fifth ward, two; Sixth ward, three; Seventh ward, two; Alameda Township, four; Brooklyn Township, one; Oakland Township, five; Eden Township, three; Murray Township,

two; Washington Township, two; total thirty-five.

McKinley Will Win.
"Last week closed the election of delegates to St. Louis," says General Grosvenor in his final bulletin. "McKinley was endorsed by all the States which expressed an opinion during the week." General Grosvenor figures up a total of 552 votes for McKinley, including, however, some that are contested, and in respect of this he says: "If all the contested delegates in all the States which are for McKinley are taken out, and the votes of the contesting delegates given solid to some other candidate, it will not affect the result. I stand by my estimate of more than two weeks ago, but if there shall be a complete roll call McKinley will have 600 votes."

Debs for President.
Eugene V. Debs has been named for the Presidency of the United States by the Chicago Labor Congress. The resolution provoked a discussion which consumed three hours, but it was finally adopted by a slight majority.

Minstrels Make Merry.
Primrose & West's Great Show Will Be Here Tonight.
Judson Brosie's Realistic Play to Be Staged at the Oakland.

After an absence of four years Primrose and West's Minstrels will open tonight at the Macdonough. They have with their great force of artists the popular and irrepressible comedian George Wilson, who was for years the idol of all minstrels in New Orleans and throughout the South. He is an artist in his line and a strong feature with this company and will no doubt be greeted with an ovation. He is the same George—"Waltz Me Again" and Mr. Garland, manager of the company, reports that he has an endless repertoire of songs and funysims, prominent among which is the latest New York hit, "I Want Yer Ma Honey."

Such an army of minstrels was never seen together in one company before. They are fresh from the celebration of their 25th anniversary and jubilee performance which was given at the Madison Square Garden, New York City, Monday March 9th, at which the handsome sum of \$12,754 was netted in one performance, and played to the largest audience of people that ever assembled at one time in the enormous edifice. This was a record breaking thirty colored performers with their big white two distinctly minstrel shows rolled into one, and showing the minstrelsy as it was and as it is today. No mixing of the two races occur during the entire performance, colored performers giving their part of the performance distinctly alone, and the whites the same. It is a well conceived idea, and one that has proven a strong drawing card, so much so that they have already this season played to 75,046 people, aggregating the enormous sum \$225,767.50 in thirty one weeks. An unprecedented record.

Three brass bands, including an attractive organization of talented pickaninies, composed the musical portion of the minstrel, and their excellent music, during the performance and also on parade, never fails to win the praise of music lovers.

Amongst local "talent" the grand prize cake walk, announced for Tuesday evening, is the one absorbing topic of conversation. Some forty couples will compete, including the Eastern and Western champions. Seats should be secured early, as the advance sale is already very large.

THE OAKLAND.

"The Estate of Hannah Howe" a remarkably bright play by Judson Brosie Esq., Sacramento, is to be staged tonight at the Oakland, by Manager Bacon. "It is a realistic story of New England life something on the style of 'The Old Homestead' and has always drawn big houses wherever presented. There are many opportunities for good stage setting and scenic effects, and these have been all thoroughly attended to. Altogether the show promises to make the record of the Oakland a big one during the week."

BLIND GRADUATES.

Two Students Leave the State Institution With Honors.

Two blind students graduated with the University of California Class of '96, with distinction. Newell Perry who received the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy, and Miss Christine Blanche Lafarrague, Perry is 25 years old and has never been able to see since he was 8 years old.

He is a native of Dixon, Solano County. He is the possessor of a very brilliant and active mind. He has finished a high school course and higher mathematics and will go to Germany to study for a doctor's degree. He expects to make a profession of teaching. Miss Lafarrague is really a remarkable student and has finished a four year course in three and one half years. She is a native of this country for the past eight years. She has not been able to see since she was a year old. Her parents own a ranch near Hollister, San Benito County. She has made a special study of jurisprudence and political economy.

Girls in Nightgowns.
Look prettier nowadays than did their grandmothers when they were young, because the nightgowns worn by the good old dames were by no means the dainty, artistic affairs that adorn the heads of modern maids. For the nightcap is revived by fashion, in order to properly perfume feminine tresses. The girl of today must have delicately scented hair, says Dame Fashion, so pillows are being used and the nightcap is lined with sachet. There's a vast variety of reading matter in Town Talk this week, of which the foregoing is an extract. The Saunterer tells about the ankle bracelet that is going to be worn this summer, and also relates some exciting news about Santa Cruz gossip, besides other good stories. In the musical department, chords and touches upon the Williams-Hobart wedding and other society events. Town Talk, Berkeley and Alameda correspondents are heard from, and politics are dealt with unflinchingly. Buy today's Town Talk.

New Directors Chosen.
W. F. Whittier and Geo. W. Prescott have been elected directors of the Contra Costa Water Company.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.
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MERCHANTS IN COUNCIL.

Many Local Matters Attended to by the Board of Trade.

A Letter to Perkins and Hilborn About the New Bankruptcy Bill.

The following new members have been received into the Board of Trade: J. H. Wilson, P. D. Browne, J. E. Morris, A. L. Woodbridge, Z. N. Goldsby, John J. Coughlin, W. H. Parrish, Jacob C. Lane, F. J. Woodyard, H. Harpist, Mitchell & Stewart, Davis & Mann, Wm. H. Hooper.

The secretary has been instructed to invite Col. Bridges to be present at the next regular meeting in order to explain his idea in regard to the building of a tunnel to Alameda.

A committee is appointed to see about purchasing jars for permanent exhibit of Alameda County products.

The following letter has been forwarded to Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn at Washington: "Dear Sir:—At a meeting of the Oakland Board of Trade Directors, held on the 6th inst., the undersigned were appointed a committee to express to you the views of the organization regarding the National Bankruptcy Law, to ascertain the present status of such legislation, and to urge upon you the necessity of having some such law enacted."

The question came up in the form of a communication from the Board of Trade of Dallas, Texas—a circular communication by the way, asking for the co-operation of commercial bodies in an effort to get such a law passed. This organization has repeatedly put itself on record with others in this line.

Now that the membership (at present 100) and new activity of the Oakland Board of Trade is enlisted in the same direction, we feel that you would be serving this portion of your constituency at least, and we believe the whole country, as well, by earnestly advocating this legislation. We are probably aware of the multifarious local laws that are in existence in the Pacific Coast States and Territories, with a view of giving preference to home creditors, and shutting out foreign creditors, or those outside of the State in which the bankruptcy occurs. It is we can assure you damaging to the credit of the whole Pacific Coast, but especially to California merchants, no matter what their wealth or credit may be, when they go to buy goods outside of the State.

Numerous failures in San Francisco and other parts of this State, where outside creditors were completely deprived of any rights, have proved this. We are not particularly familiar with the various bankruptcy bills before the Senate and House, but with the changes, or with the present status of the legislation, but it would be infinitely better for the debtor class, and we presume for the creditor class, to have some uniform legislation all over the country, so that the creditor would not always be on the anxious seat as to the particular local preferences or restrictions that he has to contend with.

Thanking you in advance for your kind attention, we remain, Yours truly,

M. J. KELLER, H. O. TROWBRIDGE, Committee.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rowe and son are in Nevada City.

Miss Lucy Donovan of this city will give a recital in Suisun Jan. 18th.

Mr. Lida Hahn is visiting her father, J. D. Johnson, of Dixon.

J. W. Miller and L. Hansen are in Stockton.

Will Emigh of Rio Vista is visiting his relatives in this city.

J. J. Agard has returned from Stockton.

Mrs. Fred Russell of Hayward is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Jordan, of this city.

Miss Emma Wagner of Stockton is visiting in this city.

Miss Sarah Jordan of Auburn is visiting in this city.

P. C. O'Kane has returned from a trip to Cordelia.

Miss Ana Woodward is visiting the Misses Hattie and Bertha Baker of Santa Ana.

James Moffitt is in Los Angeles.

A. Kumpsey is in Santa Cruz.

Mrs. G. W. Hume and children will leave for a trip through the Hawaiian Islands on the steamer Australia May 23d.

Mrs. J. Leo Parks has gone to Heidelberg for the summer.

Mrs. Dr. Bluet has returned to Oakland from Germany where she has spent two years studying music.

Ned Ayers, the attorney, will leave this evening for Arkansas Hot Springs, for the benefit of his health.

Piedmont Parlor No. 146, N. S. G. W., will give monthly socials at Loring Hall. The first will be given May 29th.

Mrs. S. B. Pope and Miss Maude Edith Pope of Ukiah, with Mrs. Rachael Hayward of Hayward, are guests at the Cataract House, Niagara Falls, New York.

The engagement of John Sutton, brother of Recorder James Sutton of the State University, to Miss Myrtle Wells of Concord is announced. The wedding will take place in Concord next Wednesday.

Edward R. Jackson, R. H. Hill, F. W. Howard, James and Wm. Hupps will leave this evening for two weeks fishing in the Arroyo Honda. Harry Budd, George Marshall, and J. W. Elmer, intended to join the party but have been forced to remain behind.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Paul, delegates

from Piedmont Parlor No. 87, N. S. G. W., left last evening to visit the Grand Parlor of Native Daughters to convene at Napa today.

Sixty members of Oakland lodge No. 171, B. P. O. E., made a trip around the bay yesterday on the schooner "Sophia," the guests of Charles Butler. The craft was nicely decorated and the crowd had a jolly time.

The first anniversary of the Thomas School of Oratory was celebrated Saturday evening at Hamilton Hall by the members of the Junior class of '97. The hall was decorated in red, white and yellow, the class colors. A large audience was present and enjoyed the following excellent programme: Orator solo, "Ben Hur Character Race March," Mrs. Carrie Gilson; violin solo, "The Bell," Miss Winifred Morgan; reading, "The Bell," Mrs. A. E. Miller; Louise Robins; piano solo, "Convenir de Trévise," Mrs. Frank Hoyt; vocal solo, lullaby from "Jocelyn," Mrs. Jessie D. Moore; reading, "Story of a Shipwreck," Miss Belle Van Amringe; reading, "The Sicilian's Tale," Miss Emma Belle Zuckert; vocal solo, "The Skylark," Mrs. Jessie D. Moore; presentation letter, Dr. Charles Wesley Emerson; Miss Louise Robins; reception address, Mrs. J. G. Lemmon; piano duet, "A La Gazelle," Misses Moore; organ solo, "Schiller March," (arranged by W. T. Best), Mr. William King.

Among those registered at Paso Robles are Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. Geo. Cook, Mr. R. G. Brown and wife, Miss Brown of Oakland, Mrs. Camille Martin, Mrs. R. L. Hawkins, Mrs. G. Hyde, G. B. Fuller and wife, Wm. A. Dean of the Humboldt and wife, P. E. Miller, Mrs. L. Hunt, Mr. R. M. McMurray and niece, Mrs. Hunt, and Webster Jones.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.
SATURDAY, May 16, 1896.

L. H. Sly to Union Savings Bank, the E 20 ft lot 5 and W 7 ft lot 6, blk C, Broadway and Telegraph av, being a re-sub of blk A to E, Weston tract, \$10.

Charles H. and Zora Starkweather to Alonzo L. Todd, lot 45, Piedmont tract; 3, blk A, lands of Oakland, being a re-sub of blk A to E, Weston tract, \$10.

Association of the Union Savings Bank, to Charles H. and Zora Starkweather, being lots 2 and 3 in said blk A 15.35 4th SW along a curve to the left radius, 42.1, 31.38 to line dividing lots 3 and 4 in said blk A, th NW 3.6 to SE line Walsworth av, th N 55° 35' E, 100 ft, to line of lot 17 and 18, blk 19, Mary A. Fitch Hd, subj to a mortgage for \$2000, gift.

A. J. McLeod to F. L. Sangmaster, lot 7, blk 16, Northern Addition to Livermore, O. C. D. 16.

Chas. Erdhoff to same, W cor Chestnut st and Livermore av NW 50 x SW 150, being lot 17, blk 16, Northern Addition to Livermore, \$1250.

E. H. and S. M. Staples to Clarissa F. Hamilton, SW 1/4 Hamilton place 45.35 NW Oakland av SW 90 x NW 75 x SW 35.65 to be, being ptm Hamilton tract, \$10.

Michael and Mary Hannon by commissioner to Italian-Swiss M. L. Ass'n, E Union st 120 N Twenty-eighth N 50 x E 133.3, blk 35, lands of Fernald Hd Ass'n, \$1300.

Charles L. and Mary E. Ingles to George W. Atkinson, W cor E 24th and 4th NW 75 x SW 25, being the SE 1/4 lot 1, blk 5, Clinton, \$10.

Amanda C. Horton to B. J. Smith, N W 1/4 Walsworth av 75 x Bay Vista av W 75 x N 25, blk K, Lands of Fernald Hd Ass'n, \$10.

Patrick and Mary Riley to J. O. Fernald and Philomena Serpa, lot 44, map of property Villa Hd Ass'n, \$500.

John Quigley to Trustees Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home of California, to conduct water pipes and water line from "Spring No. 3" and also from "Spring No. 2" map of sub Hll lands of Ro Arroyo de la Alameda, \$2000.

A. E. McDougall to A. F. Schweer, lot 2, blk L, J. A. Neal's revised plan town of Pleasanton, \$100.

The burning of his beautiful home at Ellsworth, Maine, was a great blow to Senator Hale. Fortunately the library was saved. It is known as the best private collection of books in the State. It represents a collection of thirty years and is the especial pride of Mr. Hale. The house was thought by many to be the handsomest in the State. It was on the Union River about fifteen miles from Bar Harbor, occupying a slightly spot in which a splendid view was obtainable.

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Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

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